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GRAVEST DAYS SINCE THE CIVIL WAR BEGAN

EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF CONGRESS CALLED BY PRESIDENT WILSON WILL WITNESS DEFINITE DECISION IN REGARD TO UNITED STATES' POLICY TOWARD GERMANY

DEPARTMENTS WORK AT TOP SPEED

Now a Foregone Conclusion That Congress Will Declare War Against Germany, or Will Declare That a State of War Actually Exists.

Washington, D. C., April 1.—Congress called in extraordinary session by President Wilson, will meet tomorrow to determine the most important issues before the legislative representatives of the people of the United States since the Civil war. It is considered a foregone conclusion that it either will declare war against Germany or declare that a state of war exists because of Germany's aggressions on the high seas.

President Wilson has completed the message he will deliver to congress and is ready to address a joint session as soon as he gets word that both houses have been organized and are ready to hear him.

Either before or directly after he addresses congress, the President is expected to confer with leaders of both houses regarding the specific legislation desired by the administration.

The war and navy departments continued today their preliminary preparedness measures and are ready with recommendations for further strengthening the army and navy to be submitted as soon as congress decides whether the nation is actually to go to war with Germany.

Both houses meet at noon tomorrow. The senate, already organized, will be ready to transact business when the gavel falls, but in view of the fact that any war resolution is expected to carry an appropriation it is expected that action will wait on the house.

Democrats and Republicans of the house have cleared the way for an immediate effort to organize and the belief was general tonight that the Democrats would reassume control with Speaker Clark in the chair within a few hours after the session begins.

There is little doubt that a war resolution will be passed by large majorities in both houses. There are little groups of pacifists opposed to war except to resist invasion, who will vote and probably talk against any warlike move. There are other groups who have their own ideas about what the United States should do in the present situation, but none is strong enough to prevent action or seriously to impede its progress.

In the house there probably will be no persistent opposition unless it comes from members who favor more far reaching action than the President recommends. The senate has its new cloture rule to limit debate in a small group which undertakes to delay action.

Aside from the war resolution and the appropriations which probably will accompany it, there is not much legislation now on the books that leaders believe is necessary to enact before next winter. The appropriation measures which failed at the last session, particularly the army bill, the amendments to the shipping act giving the government broad powers over merchant shipping, some changes in the federal reserve act and legislation to curb spying are among the things which probably will be deemed essential to prosecution of whatever course is determined upon. Additional revenue legislation and bond issues, beyond the authorization in existence, to be carried in the war resolution, will depend on how active the United States becomes in the war.

Efforts are certain to be made to put through a universal military training bill even if President Wilson does not endorse it. There will be much opposition to it.

Among the measures which will be introduced as soon as the house meets will be the general army bill for compulsory military training of men between 19 and 22 years of age. Compulsory training measures also probably will be introduced by Representatives Caldwell, New York, and others. Representative Montague of Virginia will introduce alternative bills for a $1,000,000,000 gift or $500,000,000 gift and $500,000,000 loan to France in recognition of French support in revolutionary days.

Representative Flood of Virginia, ranking Democrat of the house foreign affairs committee, has been working for several days on a resolution declaring a state of war exists with Germany, and is expected to call a meeting of that committee as soon as the organization steps are taken and the President has delivered his address. The foreign relations committee which would handle any war resolution, is expected to meet Monday afternoon.

Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, who has been a vigorous critic of the administration's German policy, issued a statement tonight urging a flat declaration of war against Germany and announcing that he would introduce tomorrow a resolution of this purport. Mr. Gardner said the United States should become an active participant in the war and train a large army "for the trenches."

Special arrangements to restrict attendance of visitors at the capitol during the first two days of the session were completed tonight. Admission tomorrow to the house sessions will be by special card and there will be further restrictions when the President speaks.

71ST OFF FOR DUTY AGAIN

Every Man in Regiment Responded to Call for Duty.

New York, April 1.—The Seventy-first regiment, New York National Guard, mustered into federal service for the second time within a year, left here today, each of its three battalions having different destinations.

Five privates were injured, two of them seriously, when a motor supply truck on which they were riding, turned turtle.

Col. W. G. Bates, commanding the regiment, addressed the men prior to leaving the armory and prayer was said by the chaplain, the Rev. William Crockett.

The regiment marched away without music but to the accompaniment of enthusiastic cheers. At the armory and at railroad terminals, wives, mothers and sweethearts said tearful farewells to the soldiers.

According to Col. Bates every man in the regiment responded to the call to duty.

The Third battalion of the Twenty-third regiment left tonight for its station. The other units of the regiment remained mobilized at the armory in Brooklyn.

MITCHEL TRIAL HOLDS LAWMAKERS ATTENTION

PROHIBITION MEASURES ALSO UP FOR CONSIDERATION

Albany, April 1. — The legislative program for the coming week, which includes several matters of unusual interest, has been completely overshadowed in the minds of the legislators by the interest attending the examination of Mayor John Purroy Mitchel of New York before the bar of the senate on Tuesday on charges of circulating "a false and malicious report" concerning the conduct of Senator Robert F. Wagner of New York in his legislative capacity.

The decision of the senate to summon Mayor Mitchel before it for examination has stirred official Albany more than anything that has occurred here since the impeachment of Governor William Sulzer, and the recent ruling of the senators to allow individual members to question the Mayor has added to the uncertainties of the situation.

Mayor Mitchel's announcement that he was prepared to support his alleged declaration that Senator Wagner, a Prussian by birth, appeared to be working more in the interest of the German government than in the interest of the United States in connection with the legislation to acquire land at Rockaway point for fortification purposes, has led to the belief on the part of many legislators that the examination may extend over a period of several days. The Mayor will be represented by former Governor Charles E. Hughes. Samuel Untermyer will appear in behalf of Senator Wagner, and the senate may have counsel either in the person of Nathan L. Miller, a former judge of the court of appeals, or by a representative of the attorney general's office.

Already the stage is set for the proceedings. Admission will be by ticket. One gallery has been reserved for the assemblymen and their friends, and the other for friends of the senators. No one will be allowed upon the floor except the senators, the mayor, the attorneys and the newspaper men.

The passage of the annual appropriation bill is due in the senate early in the week. The measure has been passed by a party vote in the assembly, and it is understood that similar action will be taken in the upper house. Under the terms of the budget-making act of 1916, the governor must either approve or disapprove the measure within ten days after its enactment. In the event that any of the items in the bill are eliminated by the governor the legislature may summon before it the heads of the various state departments to explain the necessity for the items that the executive has vetoed.

Among other items on the senate calendar are the Brown bill to provide a greater measure of home rule for cities and the excise bill introduced by the committee on taxation and retrenchment. The latter measure, which is designed to increase the revenue from license fees and to decrease the number of saloons, is on the general orders calendar, but is liable to be advanced to the order of final passage at any time during the week. There is a possibility, however, that the advancement of the excise bill may be deferred pending action by the assembly on the Hill-Wheeler local option bill. The Hill-Wheeler bill, which has been amended so as to limit local option elections to cities and to fix the voting days so that they will not conflict with the regular fall elections, comes up for action by the assembly during the week.

The Meyer bill, to provide for the registration of all aliens in the state, will be called up in the assembly tomorrow night. The Ahearn bill, intended to make life imprisonment instead of death the penalty for murder in the first degree, will also be acted upon Monday night.

CALL TO COLORS ALL AVAILABLE

Germans Will Extend Period of Service of Men Over 45

FOR SUPREME EFFORT

Industrial Mobilization Will Also Reach Climax Within Few Weeks

Copenhagen, Denmark, April 1.—Germany, according to information reaching here from Berlin, is now gathering to the colors every available man for a supreme military effort to bring the war to a victorious conclusion in this year's campaign—a goal which Field Marshal Von Hindenburg and his advisors consider by no means impossible of attainment.

Without altering formally the law of military service the German authorities have in practice extended the period of service beyond the forty-fifth year and are retaining with the colors, landsturm men who have passed this age.

The policy, as stated in the Reichstag this week by a military representative, is to withdraw those men over 45 from the front line after they have done six months of duty there, but military exigencies compel the holding of these over age men for service in the so-called etape, or region behind the actual fighting front.

For some time the German authorities have been mustering men on the very verge of the age limit, but up to the present they have announced that the necessity has not yet arisen for legislation raising the age limit to 65 as has been done in Austria Hungary.

Simultaneously with this draining to the dregs of the human reservoir of human material Germany's industrial mobilization is also approaching a climax. A scheme for converting every available factory and employing every available machine on war work and manning them with labor obtained under the labor service law is contemplated. The work is to be done in three stages and the construction of a third batch of munitions plants is to begin immediately. The output of cannon munitions, therefore, should soon reach its maximum.

The secret of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's plan of employing the army so re-enforced and supplied to their mamimum extent in the 1917 campaign still is well kept. It is uncertain whether the offensive will be directed in the east or in the west and the German's strategic reserve at last accounts still within Germany has not begun to move in either direction.

The German main headquarters, according to reports received here, is now established at Kreuznach on the Rhine, the general staff headquarters at Charleville and Mecieres having been abandoned shortly before the Somme retirement.

This change in headquarters perhaps may throw some light on Von Hindenburg's plan as the new choice, while centrally located as regards the whole western front is better situated for control of the operations along the southern sector of that front than was the former site.

On the surface there are indications that the purpose of the Somme retirement appears to be developing not as a scheme for bringing on a great open field engagement at that particular part of the front, but to avoid the impending onslaught by the mighty force of Anglo French artillery massed on that section.

German newspapers are now thoroughly broken to the censorship and the publication of field post letters has ceased.

There is reason to believe that the retirement has by no means reached its limit.

WHEN THIEVES FALL OUT

Jewerly Robbers Captured as Result of Quarrel.

New York, April 1. — A quarrel between thieves led to the recovery of a $30,000 necklace and other jewelry stolen recently from the home of Mrs. William McNair, the police announced tonight. Three men have been arrested and a fourth is being sought. The dispute, it was said, was over the distribution of money obtained for some of the jewelry.

According to the police version, the man who is now being sought retained the necklace after its theft. One of his companions invited him into a saloon and there drugged him. Soon afterwards the two men boarded a subway train and the man with the necklace succumbed to the effects of the drug. He was assisted off the train by the other, who later picked his pockets and made away with the necklace.

REELECTION OF CLARK SEEMS ALMOST ASSURED

BELIEVED THAT REPUBLICANS CANNOT MUSTER A MAJORITY

Washington, D. C., April 31. — Reelection of Champ Clark as speaker of the house tomorrow, when the extraordinary session begins, seemed assured tonight and the prospect of a complete Democratic organization was admitted to be strong even by the Republicans.

Illness and bolting among Republicans and proposed organization by Democrats favorable to independents are expected to prove vital factors in the fight.

Four Republicans, Representatives Helgesen of North Dakota; Capstick of New Jersey, Cooper of West Virginia and Mecker of Missouri are ill and probably will not be present.

Two Republicans, Representative Gardner of Massachusetts and Gray of New Jersey, have said they will not vote for Representative Mann, the Republican nominee for speaker on the first ballot. Democrats hope they will support Speaker Clark.

Hence, at the best, it is estimated that the Republicans cannot poll more than 208 of their 214 votes for Mann on the first roll call, even if their entire membership is present. Democrats insist that they will have at least 213 if not 214 of their own members present to vote for Clark, and they are counting on enough independents to give the 218 necessary for election.

There were persistent rumors today that the Democrats were planning choice committee assignments for independents who joined them in the organization fight. It was said, too, that New York Democrats, who at times have shown a tendency to bolt and who, it was feared, might stand with Representative Gallivan of Massachusetts in opposition to the organization program, also are to be well taken care of.

To all appearances the so-called independent organization has dissolved.

Crowded galleries will greet the house tomorrow. Every available ticket to the gallery has been snapped up.

PATRIOTS BREAK UP PACIFIST GATHERING

POLICE INJURE MANY WITH CLUBS IN GENERAL MELEE

Baltimore, Md., April 1.—After the greatest patriotic demonstration this city has seen since the Spanish American war, a crowd of 4,000 persons stormed the Academy of Music tonight, swept a cordon of police aside and broke up a big pacificist meeting, stopping Rev. David Starr Jordan in the middle of a word and refusing to allow the speaking to continue.

Police reserves from all over the city were called out and broke up the crowd with their clubs, beating several young men unmercifully and arresting two wagon loads.

One man, Douglas B. Ober, was so badly beaten that he had to be taken to a hospital.

Just as Dr. David Starr Jordan was beginning a plea for peace the crowd of antipacificists, composed of business men, professors of schools and colleges in the city and students from the same, made a sally through a cordon of police, rushed down the aisles of the theatre to the stage, where they demanded that the meeting cease.

In the front ranks were Prof. Robert W. Wood of Johns Hopkins University; Prof. John H. Latane of Johns Hopkins; Douglas B. Ober and Gustavus Ober jr., Dr. J. H. Mahon Knox, Jacob France jr., Bartlett S. Johnson, R. Lancaster Williams of Middendorf, Williams & Co., Major Adams, J. S. Crawford Frost and other business men and members of the faculties of Hopkins, University of Maryland, Finney college, Baltimore Polytechnic institute, and Mt. St. Joseph's college.

PACIFISTS WILL INVADE CAPITAL

"Pilgrims of Patriotism" to Counteract Their Efforts

LEGISLATORS BESIEGED

Mass Meetings Galore Scheduled to Awaken Washington to Its Privileges

Washington, D. C., April 1. — Pacifists, marshaled by the Emergency Peace federation, will invade Washington tomorrow for the purpose of attempting to dissuade congress from taking any action that would lead to open hostilities between the United States and Germany. Leaders of the movement already here said that at least 5,000 persons would assist them.

At the same time a host of "Pilgrims of Patriotism," headed by a citizens' committee, will arrive from New York for the purpose of counteracting the activities of the pacifists and "the peace at any price propaganda." Special trains are expected to bring thousands of them from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Chicago, Syracuse, Buffalo and other cities.

Both factions, according to their plans tonight, will storm capitol hill and endeavor to present their views to senators and representatives.

Members of congress today had an intimation of what is in store for them when they received hundreds of telegrams; some demanding that peace be not disturbed and others insisting that the honor of the country be maintained by definite action. The White House also was literally flooded with thousands of messages from both sides.

The police have forbidden parades by either faction and the delegations will be obliged to proceed to the capitol as individual pedestrians.

Miss Elizabeth Freeman, suffrage leader in charge of the office of the Emergency Peace federation headquarters here, declared, emphatically tonight that even if congress should declare that a state of war exists they would not abandon their efforts in behalf of peace.

At 2 o'clock tomorrow the peace champions will hold a meeting in Convention hall, at which petitions, resolutions and plans of action will be developed. Tomorrow night there will be a mass meeting, for which it was learned tonight the pacifist leaders had some difficulty in obtaining a hall. The anti-pacifists probably also will hold a mass meeting in another section of the city. They have expressed their determination to remain in Washington until congress decides to take some definite action.

Washington itself is in the grip of a wave of patriotism. Flags are flying all over the city and the buildings are decorated, with red, white and blue banners, flags and streamers.

Many representatives of patriotic organizations today voiced their sentiments in public sentiments. Among them was a statement signed by Mrs. William Cumming Story, president general of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution. It follows in part:

"At this crisis in the moral life of our nation the Daughters of the American Revolution are not crushed by the cowardice and selfish fears for personal safety that will lead them to wish for peace at any price and they should show their colors. In congress assembled the delegates of 94,000 American women who constitute the membership of this organization pledge themselves to national preparedness. Non-resistance to wrong spells moral and mental decadence.

"We want in this day brave men and true women who will meet and overcome any infringement on American rights and liberty.

"I urge every member of this body and all others who love our country to act at once, telegraph their senators and representatives, urging them to stand for patriotism and preparedness."

The National League for Woman Service, announced its representatives would meet here Tuesday to report on the work of the registry bureaus and training classes which have been organized in 32 states.

The national committee of patriotic and defense societies made public a plan for a "Unified national army."

This calls for universal service with a national army in addition to the regular army and continuance of the National Guard as a state force for local defense.

LINES TIGHTEN ON ST. QUENTIN

British Troops Take Savy, Only Three Miles Distant

BERLIN ADMITS LOSSES

Turkish Attempt to Envelope Deltawah Frustrated By British in Asia Minor

The British forces in France are gradually creeping upon the important town of St. Quentin, considered one of the German strongholds. Also northwest of the town they are swinging their line forward at various points in a straightening out movement that is making good strides eastward.

Meanwhile the French forces under General Nivelle are keeping up their offensive south and southeast of St. Quentin and again have made good progress north and south of the Ailette river. They have captured several German trench systems and organized points of support east of Neuville-sur-Margival, inflicted heavy casualties on the Germans and driven them back to the outskirts of Vauxaillen and Laffaux.

West of St. Quentin the British have thrust their lines through the village of Savy and the wood of Savy and are now resting but three miles from St. Quentin. Near Savy the Germans resisted tenaciously but finally were beaten off, losing heavily in killed and wounded.

The German war office admits that the German line for a distance of from 1½ to 2 miles was forced to give way before the British in the region bounded by the Peronne-Gouzeaucourt road and the Omignon brook, but says the British suffered heavy losses.

Artillery duels and small operations carried out by raiding parties continue on the remainder of the front in France and Belgium. The artillery activity is especially severe on the Belgian front and in Champagne.

Comparative quiet prevails on the front in Russia and Galicia. Near Kirilbaba, in the southeastern Carpathians, Austrian troops in repeated attacks broke into Russian trenches but later were ejected in a counter attack. An allied attack south of Jacobeni-Valputna road on the Rumanian front was put down by the Russian artillery fire and an airship was set on fire by Russian airplanes and gun fire near Odobechti.

The London war office reports the frustration by the British of a Turkish attempt to envelope the British near Deltawah, 35 miles north of Bagdad, and says the Turks there are in full retreat. Turkish attacks on the Caucasus front near Alma which lies northeast of Erzingan have been put down by the Russians.

Heavy Austrian attacks, which are declared to have failed are reported by Rome in the Gorizia sector of the Austro-Italian theatre. Violent artillery activity still continues east of Gorizia and on the Carso front.

There has been no change in Macedonia.

DANISH WEST INDIES TRANSFERRED TO U. S.

NATIONAL ANTHEMS SUNG AS FORMALITIES OCCUR

St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, March 31.—(Delayed)—The transfer of the Virgin Islands from Danish rule to the United States took place simultaneously on the three islands at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Commander Pollack, the ranking American officer officiated at St. Thomas while the commander of the cruiser Olympia acted in a similar capacity at St. Croix. Officers and marines of the cruiser Hancock and the Danish cruiser Valkyrien formed guards of honor at St. Thomas where the ceremonies were witnessed by members of the local legislature, officials, consuls and a large concourse of people.

Commander Pollack landed from the cruiser Hancock under a salute of 15 guns and proceeded to the officers barracks where the transfer protocol was signed whereupon the Danish governor proclaimed the transfer and the Danish flag was lowered amid salutes and the singing of the Danish anthem.

Commander Pollack then proclaimed the cession and the American flag was hoisted accompanied by salutes and the singing of the American anthem.

After prayers by the Moravian Bishop Greider and the Bishop of Porto Rico, Commander Pollack announced himself acting governor of the Virgin Islands of the United States of America. There were no demonstrations but many in the crowd wept during the impressive silence that followed the hoisting of the American flag.

AMBASSADOR PENFIELD LEAVES FOR WASHINGTON

NO STATEMENT GIVEN OUT AS TO REASON FOR CHANGE

Amsterdam, Holland, via London, England, April 1.—Telegraphing from Vienna the correspondent of the semi-official Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung of Berlin says:

"With a view to obviating all misunderstanding we are authorized to state that the journey of Frederick C. Penfield, the American ambassador, to Washington, means no change in the relations between Austria Hungary and the United States. Diplomatic intercourse continues to be maintained and is looked after by our charge d' affaires in Washington and by the American charge d' affaires here. Mr. Penfield is expected to return to Vienna in about three months."

Washington, D. C., April 1.—State department officials declined tonight to throw any light upon the departure of Ambassador Penfield from Vienna. They would not admit that the ambassador was on his way home or that he had been recalled by Secretary Lansing for a conference as press dispatches have stated.

The United States never has formally received Count Tarnowski, the new Austrian ambassador, who has been waiting here for two months while the charge, Baron Zwiedinek continued as official representative of his government. In some quarters the suggestion has been advanced that Mr. Penfield has been withdrawn so as to equalize the situation by leaving a charge at the head of the American embassy at Vienna.

Ever since the break between the United State and Germany the governments of both Vienna and Washington have endeavored to keep their relations unchanged. Even in case congress declares a state of war between this country and Germany it is understood the United States will not initiate any sort of action toward Austria. The only doubt felt here as to the continuous presences of Austrian officials in this country in case of war with Germany is that it would be a serious strain to expect them to remain really neutral.

Vigilancia Survivors.

Halifax, N. S., April 1.—The survivors of the steamer Vigilancia, which was one of three American vessels torpedoed by German submarines on March 16 arrived here today, homeward bound. Fifteen of the crew including several Americans were drowned in the launching of boats. Captain Frank Middleton and the 26 saved navigated in open boats 150 miles.

A German submarine, believed to be the one which launched the torpedoes at the Vigilancia followed the crew in their boats throughout the night.

Advance Despite Resistance.

London, England, April 1.—British troops on the Somme front yesterday continued to make progress, notwithstanding stubborn resistance offered by the Germans, telegraphs Reuters correspondent at the British headquarters in France. Due east of Peronne General Haig's forces have advanced to a point four miles west of the Cambrai-St. Quentin road and further south they have forced the Germans back to within four miles of the center of St. Quentin.

Hellgate Bridge Opened.

New York, April 1.—With the opening of the Hell Gate bridge, the fourth to span the East river, here tonight, an all rail route was established connecting New England with points south and east of the Hudson river.

The bridge which took four years to build and cost $27,000,000, links the Pennsylvania and New Haven railroads. It is the longest steel arch bridge in the world, having a span of 1,017 feet between the towers.

Advance on Aliette River.

Paris, France, April 1.—French troops last night made further progress along both sides of the Aliette river, it was announced by the French official statement issued this afternoon. The French also pushed forward in the region north and east of Margival which is on the southern end of the new battle line in France.

Cuban Rebels Arrested.

Havana, Cuba, April 1. — The Cuban charge d'affaires at Port Au Prince, Haiti, cables that Major Rigoberto Fernandez, the Cuban rebel leader in the province of Oriente, and his aide, Loret de Mola, have been arrested there. Three others, believed to be Captain Luis Estrada, Major Jose Armenteros and Lieut. Esoribano also have been taken into custody, says the charge.

Fernandez and his four companions arrived at Port au Prince in a small schooner, in which they had escaped from Oriente province and were made prisoners by the American naval forces.

It is said the Cuban cruiser Cuba, now in Oriente, has been ordered to prepare to sail for Haiti to bring back the prisoners if extradition is permitted by Haiti.

Fire Threatens Proving Grounds.

Lakehurst, N. J., April 1.—Fire of undetermined origin which had raged for the past two days over a wooded area near here of approximately 30 square miles threatened tonight to destroy the large proving grounds of the Edgystone Ammunition corporation. Employes of the company, aided by firemen extinguished the flames only after a hard battle.

The proving grounds are situated in the woodland, about three miles north of here. A large quantity of high explosives is stored there.

The Carpathia at Quarantine.

New York, April 1. — The Cunard line steamship, Carpathia, from a British port, arrived at Quarantine tonight. It was the first visit of the Carpathia to this city since Feb. 13.

German Alliance Active.

Newark, N. J., April 1. — Resolutions were adopted by the German Central alliance here tonight calling upon Congressmen Parker, Gray and Lehlbach not to vote for war against Germany at the special session of congress. The alliance represents 12,000 German Americans living in Essex count.

German Reservists Concentrating.

Guatemala City, Guatemala, April 1. —It is reported that German reservists are concentrating on the Mexico-Salvadorean frontier. It is also reported that a wireless telegraph plant has been received in Salvador from Mexico by which it is possible to communicate with Germany.

Russian Positions Lost and Retaken.

Petrograd, Russia, April 1, via London, England.—After making repeated attacks Austrian forces yesterday were successful in penetrating the Russian trenches in the region of Kirilibaba, in the southeastern Carpathians, says the Russian official statement issued today but they were ejected by a Russian counter attack and the position was restored.

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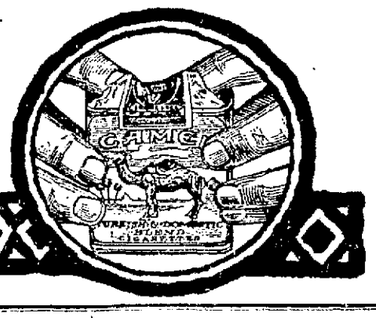

WOMAN IS CHIEF YEOMAN UNDER NEW NAVY RULING

Miss Loretta Walsh of Philadelphia First of Her Sex to Enlist in United States Navy.

Miss Loretta Walsh of Philadelphia has entered upon her duties as a chief yeoman in the United States navy, the first woman ever enrolled for service in the country's naval arm.

Miss Walsh, who is twenty years old, passed her physical and mental examinations, and she was immediately assigned to duty under Lieutenant Commander F. R. Payne of the United States Naval home, Philadelphia, by whom she was sworn in. The oath was administered at the home and was witnessed by a large number of women attached to the Navy league.

The young woman enlisted under the recent order of Secretary Daniels directing recruiting agents to accept the applications of women for enlistment in certain classes.

The following statement has been issued by the navy department as a further explanation of the order permitting women to enlist in the navy:

"Women may be enrolled in the naval reserve force in certain ratings, principally as nurses. Reserve nurses are not required to do active service in time of peace. In time of war they are subject to call, and their status is the same as a nurse in the regular nurse corps of the navy.

"A limited number of women may be enrolled for clerical work to take care of increased correspondence in the various naval districts during a war. All reservists when in active service either have quarters and subsistence furnished by the government or a money allowance is paid them for this purpose. The pay of a nurse is $50 a month. The pay of a woman enrolled for clerical work is $23.

"Commandants of naval districts have been authorized to enroll women for special duty in their districts. In time of peace they are under no obligation. In time of war they are subject to orders, as in the case of any member of the naval reserve force."

A New German Super-Zeppelin.

If the Thurgauer Zeitung is to be credited, says the Scientific American, a new super-Zeppelin has recently been tried over Lake Constance. Observers on the Swiss shore report that the airship has four gondolas, under the foremost of which was suspended a small car, apparently intended to be lowered for observation purposes. It is stated that a definite armament is installed in chambers built in the sides of the envelope and that at the stern of the vessel was suspended an airplane which on being released flew away inland.

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COBB AND HERZOG MAKE UP

Have a Couple of Fistic Encounters, But It's All Over Now.

Dallas, Texas, April 1. — The trouble between Ty Cobb and Charles Herzog, which last night threatened to disrupt the series of exhibition baseball games between the New York Nationals and Detroit Americans, has been amicably settled and the series will be played as scheduled. Cobb announced last night he would not play in the remaining games of the series, believing he had been unfairly treated in being put out of yesterday's game. The managers of both teams said such action would make completion of the itinerary impossible.

The trouble started when Cobb spiked Herzog when the former was sliding into second base in the third inning. The two players began fighting. Police stopped the fight and Cobb was ordered out of the game.

Later Herzog and Cobb met in a hotel and the fight was renewed. They later were reconciled and attended a banquet given to the visiting players.

Closer to St. Quentin.

London, England, April 1.—Heavy fighting took place today west of St. Quentin, resulting in the capture by the British of the village of Savy. Later, British troops attacked Savy wood, about a mile from the village and only three miles from St. Quentin and occupied that position.

The official report from British headquarters in France which records these successes announces also the capture by the British of Vendelles lying further north, and Epehy and Peizlere, to the Southeast of Heudlcourt.

French Take Two Villages.

Paris, France, April 1. — In their operations to the southwest of Laon the French troops have made important advances, capturing several German trench systems and have reached the outskirts of Vauxaillon and Laffaux, according to the official communication issued by the war office tonight.

For Sale—A new 1917 Cole eight, model S60, fully equipped with wire wheels, extra tire and clock, has been run 1,800 miles. A new car equipped as above sells April first for $1,795. For particulars call at store of Carr & Bull. advt tf

It does not pay to rent when you can buy one of best located lots in city for $300. We have some of best lots left on Miller plot, Chestnut street. Frank D. Miller, 198 Main street, phone 487-J. J. E. Tilley, 12 Reynolds avenue. advt tf

Poultry wanted—April 2, 3, 4. Hens 20c, chickens 20c. J. H. Potter, 71 Maple street. Advt. 2t.

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply directly upon the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

It is claimed that at small cost one can get a quarter of an ounce of freezone at any drug store, which is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

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This announcement will interest many women here, for it is said that the present high-heel footwear is putting corns on practically every woman's foot.

GERMAN VICTIMS TOTAL MORE THAN 90,000 TONS

24 BRITISH VESSELS AMONG THE 34 SENT TO BOTTOM

Berlin, Germany, March 31, via Sayville, April 1.—In addition to submarine successes already published in the month of March, says an official statement published to day by the German admiralty, 24 steamers, two sailing vessels and 14 fishing craft aggregating 90,000 gross tons were sunk by German subersibles. Of the total 24 were British vessels, one of which was an auiliary cruiser displacing at least 8,000 tons.

The ships which were sunk follow:

Coranda, British, 2,700 tons, armed.

Pola, British, 3,057 tons, with coal, armed.

Trevost, British, 3,112 tons, armed.

Alnwick Castle, British, 5,900 tons with parcels to Cape Town, armed.

Flixton, British, 4,286 tons, with iron ore, armed.

Antony, British freight and passenger steamer, 6,446 tons, armed.

Clan MacMillan, British, 4,825 tons.

Achille Adam, British, 160 tons.

Rio Sorocaba, British, 4,397 tons, with 6,400 tons of sugar for the French government.

British steamer, probably "Glenaen," 3,200 tons, with sugar from Gava Nante.

Bassa, British, 1,100 tons.

British schooner, William Marlyn, with coal.

British fishing craft, Guard, Pencaer, Carlew, R-62, R-253, L. T.-1132, R. M.-349, R-125, L. T-667, T-502, L. T-962, and R-52.

Three French vessels — Ession, Rhodes and Etiole-Polerne (Etiole-Polaire).

Portuguese steamer Agola, 4,297 tons, with coal.

Thirteen Norwegian vessels — steamer Skreine, Alool, Attika, Laly, with wood, Arant with sulphate and paper, C. Sundt, with iron; Pollux, with parcels, Egenesse with victuals to England, Susanna, with herrings, Bloemvag with coal; Brod, Kong, with coal and parcels from Glasgow to Marseilles and Hugin with coal, from Sunderland to Santander.

Dutch tank steamer I. B. August Killer, 6,500 tons.

Seven ships, the names of which could not be ascertained, also were sunk. They were a British auxiliary cruiser of at least 8,000 tons and an armed steamer of about 2,500 tons, an armed transport of about 4,000 tons, a loaded steamer of about 4,000 tons, two steamers of 2,000 tons each, one flying the Dutch flag, and a loaded steamer of about 1,500 tons.

Others Have Had the Same Desire.

Two high school girls came into the criminal courtroom a few days ago just after a case had been tried and the jury had been locked up in the jury room for deliberation.

"May we listen to this case?" one of the girls asked an officer of the court.

"They just finished the case," replied the official, "and the jury is now debating what its verdict should be."

"May we go and listen to the jury debate?" they asked.

And then the official enlightened them on one phase of the jury system. —Indianapolis News.

The Word Umbrella.

The English word umbrella is very like the Latin, coming through the Italian "ombbrella," or "little shade." The French, German, Spanish and others give it a distinctive name, such as "parapluie," "regenschirm" and "paraguas."

"Umbrella" and "parasol" are etymologically precisely the same thing, but custom has given them the distinctions that we understand today.

GERMANY'S BILL FOR WAR NOW EXCEEDS $14,000,000,000

Germany's war costs to date have reached the total of 60,000,000,000 marks (nominally $14,280,000,000), says a telegram from Berlin forwarded by the Reuter correspondent at Amsterdam.

Andrew Bonar Law, the British chancellor of the exchequer, stated in the house of commons the other day that the United Kingdom's total expenditure since the war began amounted to $21,000,000,000, which sum included advances made to allies and to the British dominions.

The Largest Painting.

The largest painting, exclusive of frescoes and panoramas, is Tintoretto's "Paradise." It is hung in the grand salon of the doge's palace at Venice and is eighty-four feet wide and thirty-four feet high.

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U. S. MUNITION STRENGTH.

Manufacturer Tells What Country Can Turn Out Daily.

"The United States is in a far better position than any other nation has ever been in times of peace," said Guy E. Tripp, chairman of the board of an important electric and manufacturing company, recently. "So far as my knowledge goes," he added, "there are in this country greater facilities already established, operated by large organizations having experience in the manufacture of munitions of war, than have ever before existed in any country not actually at war.

"In our own company alone, and we are only one out of a great many, we have facilities immediately available which have a machine capacity of 2,000 six-inch high explosive shells per day, and there will be available on April 1, after the completion of a contract we now have in hand, additional facilities with a proved capacity of 5,000 eight-inch and 125 twelve-inch shells per day. One branch of our company, which is now engaged in manufacturing rifles for Russia, has an ultimate capacity of between 6,000 and 7,000 per day."

Mean Advice.

Old Gent—On the eve of your marriage let me give you a piece of advice. Remember when your wife's next birthday comes and give her a handsome present.

Young Man—Yes, of course.

"Give her the best your pocket can buy every birthday, but at Christmas, New Year's and such times give her only inexpensive little tokens. Form that habit."

"Yes, but why?"

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"I presume so."

"Yes. In a few years you can begin to forget the birthdays, and she won't say a word."

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

A PATRIOTIC PROGRAM.

Will Be Presented This Morning In Schenevus High School.

Schenevus, April 1.—A patriotic program will be carried out in the assembly hall at the High school Monday morning at 11:00 and continuing until 12:00 o'clock, the hour set for the convening of congress in extraordinary session. Addresses will be given by Hon. O. F. Lane and Rev. C. Goldgrove.

Brown Post G. A. R., will attend. The public is invited.

Students For Regents.

All students attending district schools who desire to try preliminary or other Regents examinations in June next, at the Schenevus High school, are requested to have their applications to Prof Hardy on or before April 6.

Suffrage Committee Named.

At a recent suffrage meeting held at the home of Miss Nellie A. Noonan, at which Mrs. Lucy Weidman, one of the sixth suffrage district workers, was the principal speaker, the local suffrage club was reorganized and the following campaign committee appointed: Captains, Mrs. J. H. Wild and Mrs. J. W. Chase; captains' committee, Mrs. Simonson, Mrs. Hardy, Mrs. Tillapaugh, Mrs. C. M. Bulson, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Akin, Mrs. Macduff and the Misses Ella and Elizabeth Brown and Anna Friery; press and publicity, Mrs. E. P. Theyson; entertainment, Miss Nell Noonan.

Death of An Infant.

Lowell Elliott Fischler, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Franz O. Fischler, died at the home of its grandfather, Isaac Ives, Friday evening, death resulting from pneumonia. The child was sixteen months of age.

The funeral will be held from the home of Mr. Ives on South Hill, Monday at one o'clock, Rev. R. S. Boyce officiating. Burial in the Worcester cemetery.

Personal Items.

Prof. and Mrs. C. L. Root of Amsterdam are spending a few days with friends in town.—Earl D. Clark, who has been in the employ of the Irving Booth company of Elmira, has resigned his position and after a few days spent at his home here will leave for Milwaukee, Wis.—Miss Mary Friery of Brooklyn arrived today to spend the Easter vacation at the home of her father, P. Friery. She was accompanied by Miss Alma Richter.—Miss Hilda Northrup of Cobleskill spent Saturday with relatives in this village.—Miss Margaret Noonan of Gloversville is spending the Easter vacation with her sister, Miss Nellie A. Noonan.

EASTER VACATION AT SCHOOL

Instructors and Students at Milford Enjoy Week's Intermission.

Milford, April 1.—The Milford High school closed Friday afternoon for the Easter vacation and will reopen on Monday, April 9. Miss Theresa Gallagher will spend the week at her home at Oxford, the other members of the faculty remaining in town. The vacation coming at this time is very much appreciated by students coming in from the rural districts, as the country roads are almost impassable.

Enjoyable Thimble Party.

Mrs. George Lyons and Mrs. L. Woolcock entertained about seventy ladies at the home of Mrs. Lyon on East Main street Friday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with fancy work, after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses.

Installing Electric Lights.

Eugene Jewell is having his residence on North Main street wired this week for electric lights. Fred Teel of this village is the electrician in charge.

Move To Hawver House.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Colburn are moving this week into the Hawver tenement house on South Main street recently vacated by Harry Bohlin. Mr. Colburn has accepted a position as salesman for the Francis Motor Sales company.

Interesting Economics Meeting.

The regular March meeting of the Milford Home Economics club was held at the High school Saturday afternoon with a good attendance. Following the business session there was a vocal duet by Misses Dorothy Whitney and Dorothy Becker which was much enjoyed. The topic for the day was presented by Mrs. Marvin McBride on "The Value of Good Books in the Home" and her paper was listened to with marked attention.

The next regular meeting will be held at the school building Saturday, April 28. Mrs. S. S. Harrison will be the speaker and her subject will be "Spring House Cleaning." A violin and cornet solo will be given by Messrs. Barney and Bennett.

Miss Freer, the county demonstrator, will meet with the club at the Methodist Episcopal church on Monday afternoon, April 9, at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present at this time.

Will Attend Wyoming Conference.

Rev. N. B. Ripley of the Methodist Episcopal church goes next week to Cooperstown, where he will attend the annual sessions of the Wyoming conference. Mr. Ripley's return to this charge has been unanimously requested.

Musical Composer In Town.

D. A. Scheinerhorn of Hudson is spending a couple of weeks in town in the interest of several songs of more or less local appeal, which he has written. Two of the songs he has with him are "Old Senoharie River" and "Mother's Quilting Party," while several others of similar nature are being written. Mr. Scheinerhorn assisted in the choir at the Methodist Episcopal church last Sunday.

Condition of Miss Helen Jewell.

The many friends of Miss Helen Jewell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Jewell, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia for several days, will be pleased to learn that she is very much better at present. The crisis has passed and her chances for recovery are excellent.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

DELI DAY BY DAY.

Expresses Gratitude to H. W. Cannon For Public Library.

Delhi, April 1.—At a meeting of the Commercial club Friday evening a committee was appointed to express to Henry W. Cannon the thanks of the club for the kind gift of a public library, a like sentiment to E. R. Sheldon for the uniforming and equipping the military company known as The Sheldon Rifles and to Mrs. Frances Meigs Lyford for the gift of a town clock.

Military Company.

The made-to-measure uniforms of the Sheldon Rifles have arrived and as soon as the guns are received we shall expect to see this company headed by the Delhi Military band parade through Main and the principal streets of the village.

Annual Firemen's Election.

The annual Fire department election will take place at Village hall Tuesday evening, April 3. A large amount of interest is taken and a serious contest is expected. The department has never been in as good condition for active work as at the present time. And our citizens as a whole are greatly interested in our volunteer department.

Excitement Among Ladies.

Friday our local milliners had their spring opening, and Main street was crowded with many ladies desirous of seeing the latest creations in spring fashions. We understand that many are undecided whether the color shall be pink, red or yellow.

New England Supper.

At the Methodist Episcopal church parlors last evening a New England supper was given and it was well patronized. The menu was ecellent and a goodly sum realized.

Delhi Locals.

Miss Pauline Farrington, who is teaching in New York, is home for a few days.—J. C. Stoddard and G. W. Winand have been elected trustees of the Second Presbyterian church.—Mrs. Arthur Armstrong of Philadelphia is here to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Neal.—Gideon Hunt and family are moving to DeLancey.—Inquiry discloses that there has been no official news received that Main street in this village will not be improved and macadamized this year.—Mrs. Baggett has moved in a part of the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crandall on Clinton street.

TO CONTEST GRIFFIN WILL.

In Surrogate's Court of Delaware — Over $70,000 Involved.

Hobart, April 1. — It was mentioned in surrogate's court proceedings last Monday that Monday of this week there would be a contest as to the construction of the will of the late Heth Griffin of Hobart. There are 60 or 70 witnesses cited to appear. The estate is variously estimated from $70,000 up, but it has not been appraised as yet.

Appraisal of McPherson Will.

In the matter of the estate of the late Albert McPherson, formerly a resident of Hobart, the appraisal has been filed, showing the value of the estate to be $30,000.

Death of Mrs. I. Gould Barlow.

Mrs. I. Gould Barlow of Liberty died last week. She leaves one daughter. Her husband died about two years ago. Mr. Barlow was employed for a number of years in the store of A. J. Lawrence of this village.

Dr. and Mrs. Hillis Volunteer.

Dr. C. J. Hillis of New York city, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hillis of Hobart, has volunteered as a surgeon and Mrs. Hillis has volunteered as a Red Cross nurse.

Dislocated Shoulder.

While moving some heavy machinery at the creamery yesterday Sheldon Tompkins dislocated his shoulder. He went to Dr. Hubbell's office, but as Dr. Hubbell was away Dr. C. K. McMurdy of Stamford was called to replace the disjointed member.

Bird Day Tomorrow.

At the thirteenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, held last fall in New York city, it was voted to observe April 3, John Burroughs' birthday, as Bird day. The governors of several states have already set aside this day for that purpose and probably others will do so later. The Woman's Civic club here has requested the management of Grant's hall to procure reels for Tuesday evening appropriate for the observation of Bird day. They are as follows:

One reel "Study of Birds," with a cartoon, "When Mice Make Merry," one reel "Intimate Study of Birds," and a three reel production of "The Sleeping Beauty." The program will be preceded by the singing of patriotic songs. There will be a display of bird houses made by the children and the Camp Fire Girls are planning to sell pop corn. It is hoped that everyone will come and that every child especially will be there. As the club pledged their support every member should be there and bring their own or somebody's else children. This subject should interest old and young alike. Admission, 20c and 10c.

News in Brief.

Miss Margaret Gorke, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. C. Dales, returned to her home at Washingtonville yesterday. — Hon. J. L. Patrie of Catskill visited his brother, Principal C. E. Patrie, recently. — Dr. M. G. Prince and Frank Chappell were business callers at Kelley Corners yesterday. — Jay Manchester has among his fowls a pullet that recently laid an egg that measured 8x6½ inches. — Mrs. John Hadden and Mrs. Lee Morrison, who have been stopping at the New Hobart for the past two weeks, returned to New York city yesterday. — Miss Chandler has moved her New York shop from the Kniskern building to the Buckle building and will occupy the large room in the rear of the post office. — Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Haines of East Meredith have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. George Maney, in the township. — Mrs. C. E. Hanford and daughter, Eleanor, are spending the week-end with Mrs. Hanford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Rose, of Rose's Brook. — Judge J. P. Grant of Stamford was in town Saturday on business errands.—Mrs. Arthur Hume of Stamford is visiting Mrs. Frank Lampert jr.

WORCESTER RESIDENTS DEAD.

Charles Fredenburg and Leslie Skinner, Both Over 80 Years of Age.

Worcester, April 1.—Charles Fredenburg, formerly a member of the firm of Preston & Fredenburg, furniture dealers and undertakers here, died at his home here Sunday afternoon, aged 81 years. He had been retired for a number of years and in failing health. He suffered an attack of grip a few weeks ago and his death was not unexpected. The funeral services will be held from the home on Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. W. D. Jones of the Congregational church officiating. The widow is the only surviving relative.

Leslie Skinner, aged 80 years, who upon his retirement from active business life in New York city some years ago, came to this village to reside, died at his home Saturday forenoon after a short illness. The funeral services will be held from the home Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, Rev. A. D. Finch of the Methodist Episcopal church officiating. The body will be taken the following day to New York city for interment. He is survived by a widow and two daughters, Misses Julia and Erva Skinner.

MERIDALE MATTERS.

Meridale, April 1. — Mrs. Husted Moore, who is seriously ill with pneumonia, is thought to be slightly improved at this writing. — Among the many sick people in our vicinity are Mrs. Amasa Shaver, Mrs. Ralph Pierce and the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noble, the latter suffering with bronchitis. Dr. Silliman of Delhi is the attending physician.—Mrs. Minnie Bouton and daughter, Lena, of Homer, returned to that place after a 10 days' stay here, storing their household goods. Mrs. Bouton has rented her house to Charles Russell. He moved his family Thursday from the James Burns farm recently purchased by Frank Selleck. Fred Crandall has bought the house and lot of Louis Eckler on the East Meredith road near the cemetery and will take possession soon. George Smith, who now occupies it, will move into Strickland Bros. tenant house, which was formerly the old school house.—Lemuel Kimball is ill with the grip. — A daughter was born March 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Brewer, Houghtaling Hollow.—Elmer Beaven, with a company of men, has been busy opening the roads, making them passable for the use of wagons.—School closed Friday for a week, Easter vacation.—Edward Carlington moves the first of the coming week to his farm he recently purchased of Chauncey Russell, West Meredith.

Camps and Cottages in the Summer Paradise Territory.

"Camps and Cottages is the title of a 48 page booklet published by the Delaware and Hudson company. This booklet is issued in advance of the company's well known book, "A Summer Paradise," and contains a list of camps, cottages and sites for rent and for sale along Lake George, Lake Champlain and many points in the Adirondack mountains. The localities described are the most popular in this part of the country, and those desiring summer home accommodations should secure this directory and guide immediately. Copy of this book will be mailed free on application to M. J. Powers, general passenger agent, D. & H. Co., Albany, N. Y.

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In many other homes, once childless, there are now children because of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound makes women normal, healthy and strong.

SANITARY PILLOWS.

Why One Should Be Careful In Selecting These Necessary Articles.

With feathers an ounce of prevention is worth several pounds of cure. Read the tags on the pillows you buy to see if the feathers are new. Dirty feathers, from which the lumen or protein matter in the quill has not been removed, carrying barnyard filth, mean a smelly pillow, with possible danger from disease. It is very difficult to purify them perfectly even by factory methods.

Never buy pillows made of second-hand feathers. You can never tell whence they came or whither they go.

This was where our grandmother got her start. She had feathers of known origin, from her own barnyard, sun or oven baked, and she changed the ticks faithfully, often with thorough washing of the feathers themselves.

Modern cleaning establishments, using either live steam or an electro chemical process, offer the housekeeper every opportunity for the bacteriological cleanliness of her feather beds and pillows. If the inside of the cup should be clean, so also should the inside of the pillow.

Buy only pillows made in factories which have a process for complete sterilization. One woman after seeing a film picture of the factory method of removing dirt from feathers and the mute evidence of how much it was needed wrote to the factory for a supply of the sterilized article, saying that she hadn't had a night's sleep since seeing the pictures.

Uneasy lies the conscious head that rests on unsterilized feathers!

Positive Jurors.

A prospective juror, being qualified for a murder trial in Illinois, when asked the customary question, "Have you formed or expressed an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the accused?" rejoined promptly: "Sure. He's as guilty as all get out!" Which resulted in a $10 fine by the outraged court and, of course, the disqualification of that talesman.

There was a murder case that ended right in the middle when counsel, wheedling gently at the jury, remarked, "Of course none of you gentlemen has made up his mind yet as to the guilt or innocence of this defendant." Taking advantage of a rhetorical pause, a lanky juror arose and replied positively: "Well, I have, for one. He ought to be hung!"—Kansas City Star.

Buried Treasure.

Medium—I can tell you about a buried treasure. Patron—Please don't. My husband is always tooting that in my ears. Medium—Does he know anything about a buried treasure? Patron—Yes; his first wife.

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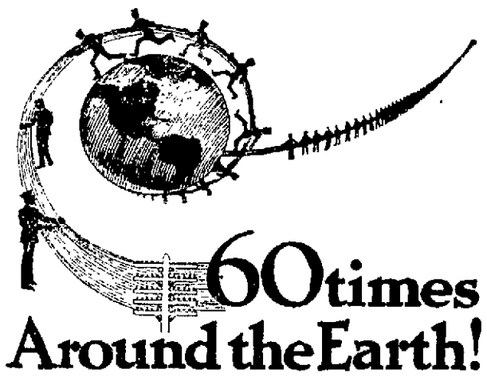

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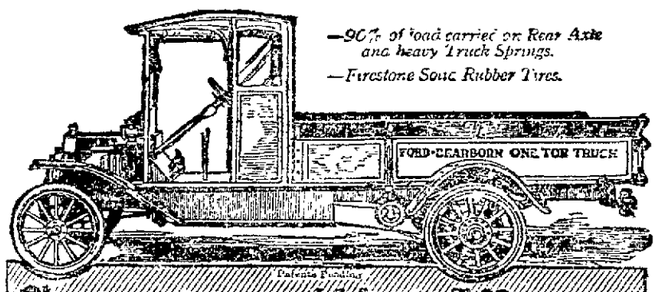

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THE DUTY OF THE HOUR.

It may not be today that the congress of the United States assembled at Washington will be ready to receive such message concerning the state of the nation as President Wilson may submit. There is possibility that two or three days may be spent in the work of organization of the house, in the election of a speaker, and the appointment of committees, though the latter is probably not a condition precedent to actual work. But, once these things are done, there is no question in the minds of the people as to what is the duty of the hour.

The United States has waited long and possibly much too patiently while either in our own ships or in passenger ships of other nations, Americans have met death in dreadful forms. The United States has been passive while German reservists and sympathizers in America have plotted for and in some cases accomplished the destruction of British and French ships and of Canadian bridges and other works of public utility. The United States has kept quiet even after it was known that Teutonic spies had successfully plotted the destruction of manufacturing plants within our own boundaries. The United States has allowed German sympathizers, agents and officers to depart unarrested and unharmed when it was fully understood that they were plotting from Washington with other nations for the subjugation and dismemberment of our own.

Topping this stupendous pyramid of evil, there comes the submarine campaign and the ruthless declaration of the German military authorities that there will be no distinction hereafter in the matter of ships within the war zone, that American and all neutral ships must take their chances, and our citizens will receive no consideration. This is the last of a long series of offenses, and now the United States government which has waited longer and more patiently than any other nation would have done under like circumstances, is called upon to act.

In the whole country there are a few pacifists who would seemingly have peace at any price, even though that price be our own subservience to the nation which openly seeks to rule the world. These men combine with German sympathizers, and the noise of their arguments is much out of proportion to their numbers or their logic. We hear, therefore, much of them, but they represent themselves only. The people are as a mass awake to the situation. They realize the peril. They feel the necessity of self-protection. They approve of the course of the President in calling congress in extra session. And they expect congress to act, and at once.

There should be no delay, no prolonged argument. The one thing to do is for men of all parties to uphold the hands of the President in this emergency. More than all else, it is the duty of the hour.

FOOD AND MARKET BILL

Made to Harmonize with the Ideas Advanced by Governor Whitman.

The Wicks bill, about which Governor Whitman and other state officials spoke when they visited Oneonta recently, has been redrafted to conform with the suggestions made by the governor and in many respects to meet objections made to the measure in its original form by the Dairymen's league and various mercantile organizations. A hearing is announced for today upon the measure at Albany.

The hearing really will be in the nature of a conference, attended by the legislative leaders, Charles S. Wilson, state commissioner of agriculture; John Dillon, state commissioner of foods and markets, and 50 representatives of agricultural societies.

The new bill provides for a state council of farms and markets composed of one member each of the nine judicial districts, an additional member from the first judicial district and the New York city commissioner of markets, if established. They are to serve without pay. The council is to appoint a commissioner of agriculture and a commissioner of markets and the work of the department is to be divided and placed under their direction. The council is to appoint the attorneys for the department and the secretary, but the other subordinate appointments are to be made by the heads of the two divisions into which the department is to be divided.

The governor is to appoint the members of the first council who will serve from one to ten years and their successors are to be elected by the legislature as the regents are. The council is to fix the salaries at first, but later this will be regulated by the legislature. The governor will designate a president of the council when he makes the first appointment.

The revised bill does not contain the licensing feature of the original Wicks bill, which exempted from the operations of the Donnelly anti-trust law and the anti-conspiracy laws all producers of and dealers in foodstuffs.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

No Time for Trifling With Disloyalty.

Some of the tales of pro-German activities in this country may be made out of whole cloth. The great majority of German-Americans are undoubtedly loyal, and it would be a great injustice to include them in a list of those suspected of treasonable designs. The temptation to hysteria of this sort should be resisted. Nevertheless the desire of the administration for legislation enabling it to deal effectively with espionage, together with its refusal to extend the old Prussian treaties with the modifications requested by Germany, is sufficient proof of actual dangers from the enemy within our gates. It would be futile to assume that the United States can escape such attempts to give aid and comfort to Germany as the allies have suffered from. Indeed it has had ample experience of frightfulness while still neutral. The government has already gathered in many of the plotters, but more are at liberty, and it must have a freer hand than ever before in dealing with them. If the laws are not silent in war time, mere technicalities prejudicial to the national safety should be.—[Philadelphia Ledger.

Stone and the Censorship.

The proposed censorship to which the newspapers of the United States have been asked by the government to agree contains, quite properly, a clause concerning the publication of military and naval news which is not given out officially by the government or which has not been passed upon by the departments. This, as the experience of other nations in the war, Great Britain particularly, has shown, is a wise and necessary measure.

However, one thing must be borne in mind by the officials of the government. There can be no use in keeping the press from announcing military secrets, if those secrets are to be babbled in congress. It would be a depressing spectacle to see hundreds of great newspapers and the news gathering associations keeping a loyal silence, only to have some silly or ignorant senator or representative rise in his seat and give out for the edification and entertainment of Wilhelmstrasse the very secret which is being guarded.

With a Senator Stone in the seats of the mighty a censorship agreement for congress might be regarded as even more necessary than a press censorship.—[Rochester Post-Express.

Advising Possible Enemies.

In one of the current magazines appears a lengthy article by a well-known writer in which the army of the United States is set in the pillory of ridicule. Its alleged deficiencies—and according to this writer they are very numerous and great—are set forth with great detail. In fact so clearly are they described that, assuming their truth, all a hostile force would have to do to defeat our army would be to read the article and govern themselves accordingly.

There has been a great deal of this sort of thing. Public men of various sorts have been prancing up and down the country for months telling all who would listen all about the weaknesses of the defenses of the United States. Probably they have done all the harm that they can do, in so far as it bears upon the present emergency. But for the future, isn't it about time that it was made a distinctly unpopular act to betray our military weaknesses to possible enemies?—[Worcester Post.

Solons at School.

Wisconsin's legislature debated for more than an hour the question of what a cord of wood is, then referred it to someone who knew. Expensive way of studying arithmetic.—[Milwaukee Journal.

VEGETABLES AT HOME.

Is Advice of Experts of State College of Agriculture.

When the home garden plans are made include a few extra rows of string beans, peas, corn, tomatoes, carrots, beets and spinach for canning, says the state college of agriculture. Why, asks the college, should not the plenty of summer be carried over on shelves for the winter enjoyment of the family? Often in the home garden there are enough vegetables wasted to keep the table supplied all winter, if they were only put into cans or glass jars. It is possible to put vegetables up in such a manner that they will lose little of their attractive color and flavor, and through canning the surplus from the home garden will do much to reduce the cost of living next winter.

The state college of agriculture has issued three publications of interest to persons planning to put up vegetables against the next winter season, they are: "A canning business for the farm house," No. 47, "Principles and methods of canning," No. 69; and "Raising vegetables for canning," No. 83. Requests by number for any or all of these publications will be filled by the college at Ithaca without charge to residents of New York state.

Railroad President Resigns.

Middleburg, April 1. — At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Middleburg and Schoharie Railroad company these officers were elected: President, Daniel D. Frisbie; vice president, Wellington E. Bassler; treasurer, George L. Danforth; secretary, George D. Frisbie; attorney, Dow Beekman. Duryea Beekman, for 15 years president of the company, resigned. A dividend of three per cent was declared.

Fairchild on Committee of Committees.

The New York journals of yesterday announce that Hon. George W. Fairchild of this city is a member of the Republican committee on committees of the house. This body, of which Mr. Fairchild is the only New York member, is for the purpose of selecting the party representatives in the various committees to be designated at the organization of congress.

SINGING SCHOOLS FOR OTSEGO.

Miss Sarah Huff Conducts in Connection with Home Economics.

Everyone who has attended one of Miss Sarah Huff's old-fashioned singing schools, conducted in Cornell Agricultural college extension work, will be delighted to hear that she is to be in Otsego county for two weeks this spring. Miss Huff is excelled by no one in her ability to bring together the individuals of a community, and entertain them both by the community singing in which all join, and by her own voice.

It would be impossible during the two weeks she is with us for her to visit each club. Hence clubs will join together in a day and evening meeting. This uniting of two or more clubs for the day will enable the women to know each other better, and to know more of the work of the other clubs.

There will be an afternoon or morning program on which each of the clubs will be represented, probably rehearsal for the singing school, a picnic supper, and in the evening the community singing school, to which everyone is invited to come and help make it a pleasant occasion.

Below is given in bold face letters a list of communities where the singing school clubs will probably be held, and the names of the clubs which will co-operate. The Home Economics department of the Farm Bureau association is trying to make a school accessible to most of the communities in the county irrespective of whether or not there are Home Economics clubs.

Cherry Valley—Middlefield Center, East Springfield, Richfield Springs.

Cooperstown — Pierstown, Springfield Center, Fly Creek, Toddsville.

Milford — Westville, Portlandville, Colliers.

Schenevus — Worcester, Westford, Maryland, Elk Creek.

Gilbertsville—Cope's Corners, Rootville, Mt. Upton, Rogers Hollow, Wells Bridge.

Morris — Maple Grove, New Lisbon, Garrattsville, Ketchum, Dimock Hollow.

Edmeston — South Edmeston, West Edmeston, Pittsfield.

Otego — Oneonta, Wells Bridge.

Mt. Vision — Laurens, Hartwick Lena.

West Exeter — Unadilla Forks, Burlington Flats.

Did Dental Work for Soldiers.

Dr. S. G. Shannon of Philadelphia, Pa., who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William G. Shannon, of Church street, has returned to Philadelphia, where he will remain for the present. Mr. Shannon had but recently returned from El Paso on the Texas border, to which place he had accompanied the Sixty-first regiment of Pennsylvania as first lieutenant of dental work. He remained on the border for about eight months, being successively assigned to the Sixteenth and the Eighth regiments. He has not severed his relation with the army and may be called back into the service at any time.

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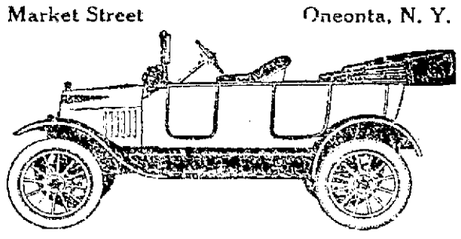

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2 p. m. - - - - - - - 60
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Maximum 71 — Minimum 37
Rainfall .37

Saturday's Record.

8 a. m. - - - - - - - 35
2 p. m. - - - - - - - 58
8 p. m. - - - - - - - 55
Maximum 63 — Minimum 32

LOCAL MENTION.

—Water rents are due today.

—Dr. F. H. Marx has leased the DeLaMater house at 30 Elm street and will move into the same early this month.

—The public schools of the city will close on Thursday afternoon of this week for the Easter vacation and reopen Monday, April 16.

—Edward L. Hancock of 15 Cliff street and Miss Leta A. Price of 11 East street have taken a marriage license at the city clerk's office.

—The name of the infant son born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Vanllyke of 51 Main street is Clifton Virgil and not Clifford Virgil, as stated in Saturday's Star.

—Schuyler Congdon has purchased of the Cooperley-Morgan Real Estate company a building lot on Cooperley avenue, Richards plot, and will proceed to erect a cottage on same.

—City Chamberlain Bawdish was reported to be improving yesterday with indications that the progress of the disease had been checked with only a portion of the lung affected.

—The Oneonta Sales company have an advertisement in this issue of The Star showing new prices on Dodge Brothers' cars which represent an advance of $50 each on the touring cars and roadsters.

—There was only one candidate present Saturday at the State Civil Service examination held by George L. Gibbs esq. He was a candidate for the position of lock operator on the canals. There will be another examination on Saturday, May 5.

—The services of Palm Sunday at St. Mary's church consisted of the blessing and distribution of palms following the high mass at 10:30 o'clock. There was no sermon, its place being taken by the reading of the Passion from St. Matthew's gospel.

—This evening, at the Oneonta theatre, Gardner's Philharmonic orchestra will give its last concert of the season, with performances at 7 and 9 o'clock. This organization is a most creditable one and no doubt the theatre will be packed for both performances.

—Country dirt roads are reported in poor condition and motorists venturing upon them are having some trying experiences. This applies to lower River street beyond the pavement, where several cars have become mired and been compelled to secure help to draw them out.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. W. E. Patton will be held at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lena Carr, 18 Academy street, where her body will be taken on the arrival of the noon train from Binghamton. Dr. Farley will officiate and interment will be in the Glenwood cemetery.

—Stanton & Wolcott on Saturday received a carload of Elcar automobiles, which they were exhibiting to an admiring public during the day. The shipment included a two passenger roadster and a country club four passenger roadster, both of which attracted much favorable comment on account of their perfection of design and general excellence of their equipment.

Meetings Today.

Stated communication of Oneonta lodge, No. 166, F. & A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock. Work, second degree.

Miss Hines will address the Mothers' club of the First Baptist church on "Living Foundations" this afternoon. All ladies of the city are invited. Light refreshments will be served.

All ladies of the W. A. O. T. M. please meet promptly at 2:15 this afternoon at the trolley station to attend the funeral of the record keeper's sister.

Bible Study class, group 4, with Mrs. Celia Seaver, 81 Maple street, this evening at 7:30.

Bible Study class, group 5, will meet with Mrs. Frank Neal, 47 Spruce street, this evening at 7:30.

Home Guards of the Methodist Episcopal church this afternoon at 4 o'clock at the church parlors.

Meeting Tuesday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Elm Park Methodist Episcopal church will hold their monthly business meeting Tuesday afternoon, at 2:00 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Arthur Dean.

Woman's Club.

The regular meeting of the board of directors will be held this afternoon at the club rooms at 4 o'clock.

Water Rents Now Due.

Water rents are due and payable at the office of the company in the Wilber National bank for 20 days beginning April 1, 1917, without commission. Office open during banking hours and evenings from 7 to 8. adv't 17t

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ONEONTA TO GIVE DEMONSTRATION OF LOYALTY TO FLAG TODAY.

Fitting Exercises Announced for All Schools in the City at Noon—Flags Should Float Everywhere on This Eventful Day.

Oneonta, while not lacking in patriotic fervor and loyalty to the flag and to the principles for which our forefathers fought, suffered and died, has thus far made no particular demonstration of its fealty and devotion to the nation. Today is its opportunity and following the proclamation of the mayor there should be left no room to doubt. The city should be ablaze with national colors. They should be displayed from every factory, business block and private residence controlled by loyal Americans. The church bells should be rung at noon and it would not be amiss if the whistles of the city should sound at that hour a call for support of home and native land.

The schools of the city will respond enthusiastically to the call. Dr. Bugbee has arranged for patriotic exercises at the State Normal school at 11:10 o'clock, at which time the students in the main building, including the normal and training departments as well as the advanced grades of the Center street school will gather at the assembly hall. The patriotic songs suggested will be sung. Dr. Hughes will voice his convictions upon the duty of the day. Dr. Schumacher will give a reading as will also two or three of the students. The flag will be conspicuously displayed and fitting resolutions will, it is anticipated, be adopted by the student body. While seats cannot be assured as the students will number well above a thousand, the public is invited. The exercises will not last more than half an hour at the longest. The lower grades of the Center street training school will assemble in that building and conduct similar patriotic exercises.

The public schools of the city will assemble shortly before the noon hour in the various buildings and the general program suggested will be followed with such additions as may be arranged. At the High school all students, commencing with the fifth grade will gather in the assembly hall for exercises and they will not be required to return until 1:30 o'clock, giving them the usual lunch period. It is expected that resolutions fitting will be adopted and similar action is expected in the other graded schools.

TO SHOW $100,000 IN CARS.

Oneonta First Annual Show Opens at Armory Thursday Noon.

When the doors of the State armory are thrown open Thursday noon for the first automobile show in Oneonta there will be displayed over 45 models of the latest makes of cars, representing many of the well known manufacturers having representatives in the city. They will represent a value of fully $100,000. When one considers that in the city of Oneonta the dealers can put on a show where the prospective buyer can inspect 45 models of the latest and best cars for the money there certainly remains no good reason for going miles away to visit an automobile show.

The spacious drill hall will be decorated today and tomorrow so that the dealers can get their exhibits in position Wednesday and Thursday mornings in readiness for the formal opening Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Gardner's orchestra will furnish music for the show and dancing, to permit the latter, a portion of the floor being reserved, and the young people are assured of a good time. The Victrola to be given away during the fair will be on exhibition at the armory. The show will be open commencing Thursday at 2 o'clock from 12 noon until 11:30 p. m. until the latter hour Saturday night.

Two Score Special Officers.

In connection with the local preparedness program Chief Blizard has named two score of special policemen, mostly well known men of the city, who could be easily secured in an emergency either night or day, most of whom have already been sworn in and all of whom will be armed with regulation equipment in the way of firearms. Motor cars are also to be arranged for in readiness at an instant's notice to rush them to any point of threatened danger.

BARNUM AT STRAND.

Tale of Double Struggle Gives William Barnum Vital Role.

There is no doubt that "Fires of Conscience," by the Fox players, will be referred to as a good picture. The hero, fleeing after the shooting of a man whom he finds with his wife, meets in the west "Nell of the Golden Voice," a singer in a saloon. She makes him go back home and take his medicine, which turns out to be an acquittal on the "unwritten law." He returns and marries the girl. And it is this part of the film that will win it, we think, high favor with all kinds of spectators. It is really pretty fine.—[The Picture World.

Attention—M. G. Lowenstein, the practical, scientific optician and optometrist, is today at the house of E. B. Brown at 27 Pine street and remains there until and including Wednesday, April 4. All adjustments made by him are warranted to give perfect satisfaction. Remember the date. advt tf

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To Rent—Eight room house at 136 River street. Louis M. Baker. adv 4t

ZAR Y. MARLETTE SUICIDES.

Former Oneontan, Disheartened by Domestic Difficulties, Takes Life.

Zar Y. Marlette, formerly employed in the photograph gallery of the late P. R. Young, more recently residing at Unadilla, his native home committed suicide at his apartments over the offices of the Unadilla Silo company in that village Saturday night, the discovery not being made until after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. His wife took their infant son and returned to the home of her parents in Sidney some time since and it is assumed that he was disheartened by reason of this trouble. He had kept his apartment, but had gone to the home of his parents to spend the nights. Saturday night he told them that he would go to his own home to remain that night, as he wished to take a bath and shave. He inquired about breakfast before he left and seemed not particularly downcast when he left them. When he failed to appear for breakfast his father went to his rooms and found the door locked. Thinking that perhaps the son was sleeping late the father returned. When Zar did not come at the dinner hour the father went to the apartments and forced an entrance, finding the son lying in a pool of blood in front of the bed. He had from appearances taken a light rifle which he owned and placed the muzzle into his mouth had fired it, the bullet passing through the head and into the floor above.

The unfortunate man had written a letter to his mother, which left no doubt of suicide, and the health officer signed the death certificate. The body was taken in charge by Undertaker Fred J. Joyce and removed to the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Marlette. The funeral arrangements have not been made.

The deceased was 37 years of age and had resided in Unadilla all of his life, with the exception of a few years when he worked in galleries in Oneonta and Sidney. Since his return to Unadilla he has been engaged in painting and paper hanging. He married Amy Sheily of Sidney and while a good natured and good principled fellow, it is intimated that he did not take the responsibilities of maintaining a household as seriously as some. Besides the wife, child and aged parents, he leaves two sisters, Miss Nellie, residing at home, and Louise McLagan of Rockdale.

ELKS BEHIND PRESIDENT.

Oneonta Lodge, B. P. O. E., Adopts Patriotic Resolutions.

In accordance with the request of the national officers of the Elks a large delegation of members of the local lodge gathered yesterday and adopted the following:

Whereas, We as Elks realizing and appreciating the grave conditions confronting the President and the nation at the present time, and believing that the honor and dignity of our country should be upheld; therefore be it resolved:

That Oneonta lodge, No. 1312, B. P. O. Elks, pledge our undivided support to uphold and assist our President in what ever position he may take relative to the present crises, in the name of honor, justice and the country we love.

Oneonta Lodge, No. 1312,
B. P. O. Elks, Oneonta, N. Y.

Oneonta Elks have in the past demonstrated their patriotism and earnest effort to arouse loyalty to the country and to the flag and their prompt action in harmony with the request of the national officers is to be commended.

A Musical Event in Oneonta.

No musical organization, college or otherwise, is complete without a tenor soloist. The Hamilton College Musical clubs, which appear in this city Saturday evening, April 7, are not lacking in this essential, for they have a soloist whom many musical critics consider to be one of the best college tenors in the state, Clayton B. Weed of Newburgh. Mr. Weed is also leader of the Glee club and is a member of the famous Hamilton quartet, one of the leading features of the Musical clubs. He is using this year as an encore "Sweet Miss Mary," a song which he was forced to render time after time at every concert last season.

LAST CONCERT TONIGHT.

Philharmonic Orchestra and Ethel Barrymore at Theatre Oneonta.

Judging from the advance sale all roads will lead to the Theatre Oneonta tonight, for it is tonight that the last concert of the season will be given by the Oneonta Philharmonic orchestra. This organization, made up of 62 local musicians, is under the able direction of Prof. R. E. Gardner, who has selected the finest programe imaginable for this occasion. The picture end of the bill is taken care of by Ethel Barrymore in "The White Raven," which presents this star in a startling and unusual role and for the first time in her career Miss Barrymore does a song and dance. In "The White Raven" Miss Barrymore has the most exacting role of her screen or stage career. The first performance will start at 7 o'clock sharp and the second at 9. Tickets are good for one concert. Admission 17 cents.

Interested in One Store.

It having been brought to my attention that other impression has been created, I wish to state to all my friends that I am interested in but one store in the city and your patronage is cordially invited to the old established Laskaris store at 199 Main street, where the same carefully selected stock and earnest effort to serve satisfactorily will always be found. John G. Laskaris. advt 1t

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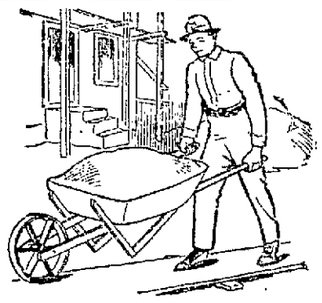

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PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. Burdick of Maryland was a caller in the city on Saturday.

E. W. Elmore departed last evening on a business trip to New York.

Mrs. M. S. Vincent and Irene Vincent spent Saturday in Albany.

R. K. Teller of Unadilla was a business visitor in the city on Saturday.

Miss Charlotte Curtis of this city spent Sunday with her friends in Unadilla.

Mrs. Jarvis Clarke departed Saturday for a visit with relatives in Syracuse.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith of Walton were the guests on Saturday of Dr. F. H. Marx.

Mrs. Clara Hurst arrived home last evening from a sojourn at Atlantic City and New York.

Miss Charlotte Mair of Delhi was a guest over Sunday of her cousin, Mrs. Maretta Howe.

Fred Dahn spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dahn, at Fly Creek.

Mrs. Arthur Alexander of 59 Miller street spent Sunday at her old home in Lansboro, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pomeroy and son, Earl, spent the week-end with friends in Westport.

Helmer Halstead of 15 Baker street spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Binghamton.

Mrs. Frank G. Sherman was a guest over Sunday of her brother, George Rockfort, in Schenectady.

Mrs. Ira Alsdorf of 53 Market street is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Hall, in Delanson.

Miss Mabel Elmore is home for the Easter vacation from her school duties at the Emma Willard school at Troy.

Dr. Frank D. Blodgett, president of Adelphi college at Brooklyn, arrived in the city last night for a short stay.

Earl Fisk of Plainfield, N. J., is spending a few days with his wife and family at 67 Spruce street, this city.

Erford Lyon of Binghamton spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lyon, of 19 River street.

Miss Brady of Troy, who had been visiting Mrs. Jeremiah Whaley of Division street, returned home on Saturday.

William Belknap of New York city was the guest over the week-end of his mother, Mrs. Rosa Smith, of Gault avenue.

M. L. Pincus departed yesterday for New York in the interests of the Bell Clothing company, of which he is manager.

Mrs. E. J. Slingerlnd and daughter, Dorothy of Slingerlands, returned home Saturday after a visit with Mrs. J. M. Brandow.

Howard Olin, now engaged at Binghamton, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Olin, Maple street.

Miss Isabelle Mahaffy, a teacher in the public schools of Freeport, is spending the Easter holidays with her parents in this city.

Mrs. Arthur Young, Mrs. Ellen Rife and Mrs. Sawyer of this city, were the guests yesterday of Mrs. S. H. Every at Emmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mantica of Albany returned home yesterday after a visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. M. H. Johnson, of this city.

Miss Mabel Hoyt, who is a student of Middlebury Vt., college, is spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoyt.

Eugene Schemerhorn and L. J. Sreideriger, both of Sidney, are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. Burditt Shutters, at the Normal.

Mrs. John Gates of Unadilla was in Oneonta yesterday on her way home from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lynn Bishop, in Hartwick.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hanford, Charles N. Cohen and Mrs. J. H. Hiscox, all of Stamford, motored to the city on Saturday on business errands.

Kenneth Pohlgreen, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ford for a short vacation, returned yesterday to his studies at R. P. I. at Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hall of 49 Loudon avenue were called to Otego yesterday by the serious illness of the former's mother, Mrs. C. R. Hall.

Mrs. George Dinsmore of Susquehanna, Pa., arrived in Oneonta last evening and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Yager, 380 Main street.

Mrs. H. C. Redford of this city departed yesterday for a visit with her brother, Orson Fletcher, and other friends and relatives in Bainbridge.

Miss Mary Whaley of St. Elizabeth's college at Convent, N. J., is spending the Easter vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Whaley, of Division street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crippen of Chestnut street have as their guest over the week-end little Miss Harriet Dyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Dyer of Bainbridge.

Miss Frances Wilder, a student at Pratt institute at Brooklyn, who had been spending a vacation period at the residence of her father, L. E. Wilder, returned to her studies yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reynolds and two sons of Albany have been the guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Howe, West street, meanwhile visiting other relatives in the city.

John J. Ostrander of Albany, who had been spending the week-end in Oneonta, returned home last evening accompanied by his wife, who had been with friends in this city for a short time.

Mrs. W. H. Ostrander of this city, Mrs. J. J. Ostrander of Albany and Mrs. John Martin of Kingston were guests Saturday of the former's daughter, Mrs. George Campbell in Wells Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Newton and daughter, who left Oneonta on Feb. 10 for Alhambra, Cal., a suburb of Los Angeles, going over the Erie and the Santa Fe line, and who, after a most enjoyable sojourn in that delightful climate, departed for home March 27, arrived home Saturday afternoon full of enthusiasm for Southern California. They were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Hubert Grensted, during their stay, and many side trips to various points of interest were made in the Grensted touring car. One particularly delightful experience was the fact that on the morning of their arrival, when awakened, they looked out of the coach windows upon the orange belt — a truly beautiful sight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter, Mrs. Simpson, arrived home last evening, after a sojourn at Old Point Comfort, Va. The sojourn has been beneficial to all, especially to Mrs. Smith, who returns in improved health.

Among the teacher returning Saturday to Oneonta for the Spring vacation were Miss Grace Taber, and Miss Mabel Smith from New York, Miss Blanche Cook from Englewood, N. J., and Miss Bertha Baker from Ridgefield Park.

Sherman M. Fairchild arrived home Saturday from Harvard university for a brief visit at the home of his parents, Hon. and Mrs. G. W. Fairchild. He will remain for a few days, probably returning to Cambridge, Mass., on Wednesday.

Charles E. Westervelt, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was called to Newburgh on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. William B. Westervelt, who died Saturday. She is survived by a husband and six children. Funeral will be held Monday.

Charles E. Hills, who had been making an extended sojourn at St. Petersburg, Florida, with occasional side trips to other points of interest in that state, arrived home yesterday with his cheeks as brown as a berry and apparently much benefited by his stay in the southland.

Miss Bertha Dinsmore of the office force of the J. O. & G. N. Rowe, left yesterday on a well earned two weeks vacation, the first half of which will be spent at her old home in Susquehanna, Pa., and the last week with her brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. F. S. Milliburn at Salem, Mass.

DEATHS.

John Z. Donaldson.

John Z. Donaldson, formerly of this city but who had spent most of his life in his native town of Hartwick, died Sunday morning at the Binghamton state hospital, of which institution he had been a patient since last May. The body will be brought to Oneonta today and the funeral service will be held at 11 a. m. on Tuesday at the home of his son, Bowne Donaldson, 229 Main street. Dr. Pendleton of the Free Baptist church will officiate and the funeral cortege will leave at 12:15 p. m. by trolley for Hartwick, where the interment will take place.

Mr. Donaldson was born in Hartwick 65 years ago and the larger part of his life was spent in that township. In early life he was a farmer. He was a much respected, industrious man, who leaves many friends who will sympathize with the family in their bereavement. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Laney Conklin of Hartwick, to whom he was married about 42 years ago, and by four children: Bowne C. Donaldson and Miss Josephine Donaldson of Oneonta and John Z. Donaldson jr., and Mrs. Frank Mudge of Utica, and two grandchildren, Robert and Ronald Mudge of Utica. Other relatives are his sisters —Mrs. Frances Burlingham and Mrs. Elizabeth Ellsworth of Milford, Mrs. Kate Hall of Hartwick and Mrs. Blandina Briggs of Middlefield; also a brother, William Donaldson, of Susquehanna, Pa.

Gilbert Ingerham.

Gilbert Ingerham, a former resident of Unadilla and a veteran of the Civil war, died Saturday afternoon at his home on South Side. Death was caused by congestion of the liver, from which for ten days he had suffered. He was about 77 years of age and leaves no descendants. Pending the arrival of his brother from Unadilla and of other relatives, no announcement of the date of the funeral can be made. The burial will be beside his wife at West Davenport.

Mrs. John C. Ingalls.

Mrs John C. Ingalls died at the family home, 97 Chestnut street, Sunday night at 11:30 o'clock, after a long illness. Further reference to the demise with the funeral announcement will be made in Tuesday's issue.

MARRIAGES.

Fullington-Dixson.

Harvey Fullington of Meredale and Miss Mina Dixson of Unadilla were united in marriage at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage in this city Saturday evening by Rev. Dr. Hall, the ring service being used. The couple were attended by Miss Beulah Dixson, a sister of the bride, and William Fullington, a brother of the groom. The bride's gown was of blue silk. Mr. and Mrs. Fullington will reside at Meredale, where the groom is engaged in farming.

Funerals of Infants.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Knapp, who reside on the Swart Hollow road on the South Side, was held Saturday at the house. The body was taken to Franklin for interment in the Franklin Valley cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Frank Matteson of Franklin.

The funeral service for Robert Creal, the little months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall of 151½ Chestnut street, was held Saturday morning at the house and the body was taken to Unadilla for interment.

Interment at Burlington Today.

Brief prayer service for the family of the late Lorenzo D. Bolton was held Sunday evening from the residence of his son, W. Irving Bolton esq., at 21 West street, where he died Friday, conducted by Dr. T. E. Hall. The funeral party will depart on the 8:05 a. m. car today for Hartwick. They will then proceed to Burlington Green, where the public services will be held at 1 o'clock from the Baptist church of which he had long been a member. Interment will be made in the cemetery there.

THOMPSON-VANHORNE.

Mrs. Blanche VanHorne Becomes the Wife of J. F. Thompson.

On Saturday last, March 31, at the Grace Episcopal church in Utica, Mrs. Blanche H. VanHorne was married to John Fremont Thompson. The ceremony was in charge of Rev. George C. Dickinson, of Oneonta, and was attended by a few of the immediate relatives of the parties.

After a luncheon, served at the Hotel Utica, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson started for California, to spend several months, where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Thompson, of Elmira, making an auto tour of the coast and the Yosemite, returning in June by way of Vancouver and the Canadian Pacific railway.

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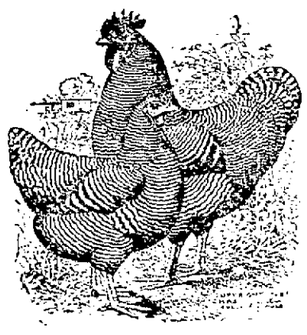

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TO RENT.

TO RENT—House 103 Chestnut, $15.00; 8 ... $11.00. D. F. Keyes.

TO RENT—New first floor flat, with all improvements, at 18½ Division street. Call at 26 Division street or phone 373-J.

TO RENT—Cheap nearly new house, all ... rooms. Inquire 43 Spruce street.

TO RENT—Half of house, 122 Chestnut ... nine rooms, modern equipment, central location. Large lawn, pleasant place. ... Ceperley & Morgan.

TO RENT—Half of double house. Mrs. B. ... Valley, West Oneonta.

TO RENT — Desirable unfurnished room in Lord & Stewart building. Inquire of Sylvester Ford or George Wohlleben.

UPPER FLAT TO RENT—71 Luther street. Inquire at Melick's shop or on premises.

TO RENT—House and garden, South Side. ...

TO RENT—Lower flat, Main street, five rooms, improvements. Inquire upstairs, 877 Main street.

TO RENT—Half double house, improvements, 88 Center street. Rent $10.00. Inquire 22 Elm street.

TO RENT—To a small family, suite of rooms in new block, all improvements, central location, rent reasonable. Dr. J. P. Elliott.

TO RENT—Half of double house. Inquire of D. A. Smith, 237 Chestnut street. Phone 27-J.

TO RENT—Upstairs flat, 31 Pine street.

TO RENT—Upper and lower flats or whole house to one family. All improvements, large garden. Inquire 115 East street, Mauley Safford.

TO RENT—Flats, 26 Pine street, $10 per month. 25 Pine street, $6 per month. Inquire 16 Center street, Oneonta, N. Y.

TO RENT—Lower flat, 21 Elm street.

TO RENT — Six room cottage at 20 Elm street, to small family without children. Inquire of Alva Seybolt, 18 Elm street.

FOR RENT—Double house at 31 Hudson street. Phone 472-J.

HOUSE TO RENT—At 82 Clinton avenue. Inquire at 22 Myrtle avenue.

TO RENT—Flat, Columbia street, $10.00, River street $8.00. Heated flat, $30.00 Main street flat, $18.00. Flat, bath and range, $11.50. Four room flat, $9.00. Keenan & Wells.

TO RENT—Flat at 3 Academy street, all improvements, including electric lights and furnace. Possession given April 10. Reference required. Inquire Mrs. A. M. Barnes, 1 Academy street.

TO RENT—Lower part of house at 48 Miller street, with good garden. Inquire 44 River street.

TO RENT—Upper and lower flats at 7 Monroe avenue. Inuire of S. H. Close, city clerk.

TO RENT—House 28 London avenue. Convenient to shops. In good repair. Inquire M. A. Frasier, 38 Main street.

FOR RENT—37 Grand street, new flats, five or seven rooms complete. Inquire Boston store, 144 Main street.

TO RENT—Flat with all modern improvements in the Butts' block. Inquire at Butts' store.

TO LET—Second floor with all improvements. Inquire 75 Maple street. Phone 892-J.

FLAT TO RENT—Inquire 369 Main street.

FOR RENT—Half of double house at 352 Main street. Range, bath and electric lights. Inquire 354 Main street.

TO RENT—Half a double house, $10. Phone 1018-J, or call Columbia street store.

TO RENT—House at 36 Cherry street, upper and lower flat. All new paint and paper. Inquire 47 Ford avenue.

TO RENT—House 21 Forest avenue. Inquire S. H. Close, Municipal building. Phone 27-W.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Twenty grade Shropshire sheep. S. M. Gifford, R. D. 1. Phone ...

FOR SALE—Two Jersey heifers, due to freshen in May. George Quackenbush, R. D. N. ...

FOR SALE—My farm of 20 acres, running ... one of the best flats from Oneonta ... Otego; suitable for truck or poultry farming and beautifully located. Good buildings. Light cows, calf and farming tools sold with place if desired. Two miles from Oneonta city limits on ... J. W. Shiland, Otego, N. Y., R. D. No. 2.

FOR SALE—A high grade piano at great ... has had good care. Owner ... Bargain to quick buyer. Inquire ... Address D. C., care Star.

FOR SALE—Hillside stock and hop farm of ... acres, 2 1-2 miles from Portlandville. Large basement barn, 2 silos, good ... with modern improvements, tenement house, one of the best dairy and ... farms in the county; in high state of cultivation; also a large house and lot in the village of Milford; modern improvements, good barn, excellent location. These places must be sold to close ... estate. L. H. Rider, Milford, N. Y., ... of C. F. Colburn estate.

ANYONE WISHING Greening or Northern Spy apples delivered Monday, phone ...

ONE CENT A WORD

BABY CHICKS—White and brown Leghorns, from selected, heavy laying hens. Price right. Bell phone. Sunnyvale Farm, Otego, N. Y.

FOR SALE—One horse, seven cows, four yearlings, lumber wagon, grind stone, cauldron kettle, shovels, forks, plows, chains, cultivator, two shoates, one pork jar, one single harness, hay, $8.00 at barn. Frank Morrell, R. F. D. No. 2, Upper West street.

MOTORCYCLE FOR SALE—In good running order. Prest-O-Lite lighting system. Address 46, care Star.

FOR SALE—Ten tons baled hay and four tons baled straw, on Beal's farm at Mt. Vision. Apply to F. C. Smith, Hartwick.

MERCHANTS SAVE—You will save dollars by looking over our "D" book before giving credit to anyone. Central New York Mercantile agency, 176 Main street.

FOR SALE—Pair of black horses, weight 2,400; right in every harness. J. D. Hall, Davenport, N. Y.

FARM FOR SALE—Wonderfully situated, springs, timber, very productive, on state road. A. J. Bookhout.

FOR SALE—Two Cornell gasoline colony heaters, with or without colony houses. Bargain to quick buyer. Call or write F. W. Arnold. Bell phone 16-F13.

FOR SALE—Double crypt in Oneonta Plains mausoleum, or will exchange for automobile. Phone 131-W.

FOR SALE—Three thousand concrete cellar blocks, rock face and cobblestone face blocks. Van Woert & Thayer. Phone 598-J.

FOR SALE—Overland roadster, good condition, new tires, cheap for cash. Inquire Francis Motor Sales Co., corner Main and Elm streets.

FOR SALE—A Frick portable sawmill, cable drive, quick receding head blocks, taper movement, three good saws, blower, slab saw, good belts, 35 H. P. boiler, 25 H. P. engine, all in good condition; reason for selling, am going out of the business. L. R. Stanton, No. 1 R. D., Worcester, N. Y.

FOR SALE — Two family dwelling near Oneonta for $1,000. $200 down. Keenan & Wells.

FOR SALE—Fifty tons No. 1 timothy hay. Horace Harrison, R. D. 2, Oneonta, trolley stop 12.

EGGS—From single comb White Leghorns that are No. 1 in size and production, $5.00 per hundred. M. H. Baker, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—New house, all improvements, Brook street, $2,600. Fine new house, Spruce street, all improvements, electric lights, furnace, hard wood trim, large lot, $3,400. Dandy place, Chestnut street, improvements, $2,700. New house and henhouses and five acres land, near Oneonta, a bargain if sold at once. Dandy new house centrally located, all modern improvements, a big bargain, $3,400. Phone 21-J. Fred N. VanWie, 14 Dietz street.

FOR SALE—New Pope motorcycle, only $100. Call Francis Motor Sales Co., corner Main and Elm streets.

FOR SALE—At a bargain price. Concord rubber tired wagon, acetylene gas plant, including pipes and fixtures. L. C. Colburn, Milford, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Fifty-five acres flat land near Colliers, a good portion fine potato, corn or wheat ground. Quick sale, $600. W. W. Caulkins, 12 Broad street.

FOR SALE—Many good houses in the city at moderate prices. Good farms for sale. W. W. Caulkins, 12 Broad street.

FOR SALE—Five acre farm at 195 River street. Splendid house, barn and henhouse, all improvements, lots of fruit and berries of all kinds. J. S. Smith, 44 Elm street.

FOR SALE—The finest camp house on Goodyear lake. B. E. Swart, Windsor hotel.

FOR SALE—A feed business with a large trade. Consider house in Oneonta in exchange. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—On account of failing health I offer my trucking business, established 18 years ago, for sale. S. B. Borst, 402 Main street.

FARMS—For sale or exchange. All sizes, from a few acres up to 550 acres. Some of the best dairy farms in Otsego, Delaware and Chenango counties. All kinds of poultry and truck gardening places. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

HORSE FOR SALE—Bargain. Inquire H. W. Hyland, Boston store, 144 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House at 23 Grand street. J. A. Dewar.

FOR SALE—Two family house, Valley View street, $1,500. Two family house Main street, $4,100. Two family house High street, $3,000. Seven room house with all modern improvements Tilton avenue $3,500. Seven room house with all modern improvements Ford avenue, $3,600. Nearly new eight room house with extra lot near Normal school $1,700. House with good barn, extra lot, Center street, $1,700. Extra large nice house on Maple street. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 7-R.

FOR SALE—At a bargain price, on $500 payment, balance to suit purchaser, the Silvernail place at 3 Reynolds avenue, which is a very central location. It has a garden, place for chickens, slate roof, seven rooms and bath, furnace, gas range, coal range and gas lights. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

I HAVE SEVERAL good bargains in real estate in all parts of the city. Easy terms. If interested, call A. J. Bookhout, phone 211-J.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS—For light housekeeping. 3 Reynolds avenue.

TO RENT—Furnished room with all conveniences. Inquire 26 Spruce street.

FURNISHED ROOMS — For light housekeeping, with bath, 14 Columbia street.

TO RENT—Suite of rooms on first floor, all improvements. Central location. Dr. J. P. Elliott.

FURNISHED FLAT—To rent for housekeeping. 14 Center street.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. $3.00 a week, 14 Center street.

STORAGE.

CLEAN, DRY STORAGE TO RENT—A. H. Murdock, Market street.

STORAGE—Dry, clean storage for household goods at reasonable rates. H. W. Lee, Star office.

LOANS.

LOANS MADE on good security. Levey, 234 Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved city real estate. Inquire of Owen C. Becker.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Headlight rim and Warner lens. Phone or leave at Star office. Reward.

ONE CENT A WORD

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—At once, experienced help to do sewing for tailor. Charles Swoboda, 13 Dietz street.

HELP WANTED—Small family, three adults, owning modern home, desire refined married couple, man now employed, to occupy part of house, woman to take full charge and furnish board. No children. Must have best reference. Write D, care Star office.

WANTED—Middle aged woman for general housework in family of three. No washings. Address F, care Star.

WANTED—A man to drive team and work around saw mill. A. J. Tubbs, Maryland, N. Y.

WANTED — Competent housekeeper, in small family. Good home, good wages, no washing. Phone 1047-J.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Apply at 41 Walnut street.

WANTED—Married man to work on farm, must be good milker and buttermaker. House furnished. References required. Apply J. S. Lunn, 226 Main.

COMPETENT HELP of every kind wanted. Phone 1006. Employment and Utility bureau, 176 Main street.

WANTED—Good, steady girl to work by the day. Gloversville Knitting company, 80 Main street.

GIRLS WANTED—To operate knitting machines. Beginners taught and paid while learning. Good pay and steady work guaranteed. Gloversville Knitting Co.

WANTED—Two men for sugar making; also man for the season. F. W. Hanford, East Meredith.

WANTED—Machine operators. Light, clean work, good pay while learning. Buckley Bros. Co.

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WINDOWS, RUGS, and cleaning of all kinds. Phone 1006. Help of all kinds supplied. Employment and Utility Bureau, 176 Main street.

WANTED—Washings and ironings, first class work guaranteed. Address Washings, care Star.

WANTED—Rubbers, rubber boots and overshoes to repair and tap with vulcanizer. W. S. Foord, 42 Main street.

WANTED—Pictures to frame. Ward's Art Shop, 149 Main street.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—92 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-W2.

WORK WANTED—Phone 801-W—Roblee, the painter, for painting and papering.

WANTED—Sewing to do at home. Children's clothing a specialty. 27 Columbia street.

MISCELLANEOUS.

YOUR MONEY BACK if Pratt's White Diarrhoea Remedy, Lice Killer or any Pratt Preparations fail to please you. Inquire of Marsh, The Druggist.

WANTED—Board and care for two year old baby boy. May adopt as their own. 80 Ford avenue.

TONE UP YOUR HORSES and all live stock with Pratt's Animal Regulator. Improves digestion, purifies the blood.

AUTOES TO STORE—Good wash room. 21 Elm street.

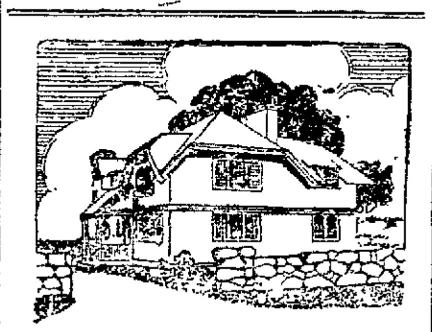
REMEMBER the old reliable "Economy" Rug Co. of Syracuse. Rugs made from old carpet. Represented by S. B. Borst.

EXCHANGE—Five passenger car in nice order for good building lot. Van Woert & Thayer. Phone 598-J.

RUGS—From old carpets. Send your order before the spring rush sets in and be assured of prompt service. Wagner Rug Works, Seneca Falls, N. Y., formerly of Syracuse. Local representative, Charles Gilday, 111½ Washington street, Oneonta, N. Y.

MARKET PRICE paid for old gold. Levey, 234 Main street.

WANTED—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail.



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HOW BAD ROADS INFLUENCE PRICES

Plea For Better Highways That Appeals to All.

HIGH TRANSPORTATION COST

The National Automobile Chamber of Commerce Advocates Durable Highways on the Ground That Bad Roads Make Expensive Transportation and Add to the High Cost of Living.

A plea for durable highways that appeals to all, on the ground that bad roads as the most expensive kind of transportation enter into the high cost of living, is the following from the national automobile chamber of commerce.

Practically everything raised and manufactured in the United States is transported a considerable distance before it reaches the consumer. Railroad and water rates have passed their lowest limits and are rising. At some stage of their journey our food, clothing, building material, household goods, machinery, etc., must be hauled over the public roads and streets. Here is the one place where there is possibility of effecting a large saving in transportation cost. It actually costs more to deliver a ton of coal from the yards in the city to the city consumer than to ship it by rail from the mine to the city.

It costs the farmer more than 23 cents to haul a ton of farm produce a

EXAMPLE OF BAD ROAD FOR HAULING PURPOSES.

mile on the way to market over the average country road, while the average cost of haulage by motor truck over paved city streets is only 11½ cents a ton mile. If country roads were as good as city streets and farmers used motor trucks their haulage costs would be cut in half. They would also be able to take advantage of the highest market prices at all seasons of the year and haul the fullest loads, whereas now they often get stuck in the mud with half a load in fall and spring. These conditions have a good deal to do with the high cost of living every one has to pay.

Until the main market roads are surfaced with some hard, durable material, the country will go on wasting hundreds of millions of dollars a year in the unnecessary cost of haulage and the excessive cost of repairing the unsatisfactory roads it now has. Farmers, dairymen, manufacturers, merchants, contractors and others will be denied the maximum economy of haulage and delivery by motor vehicle by the action of legislatures in imposing heavy fees on motor trucks for use of the roads and restricting their size, weight and speed.

Several of the more progressive states have awakened to the situation. The good roads bill passed in Illinois two years ago provided for the building of durable roads, and a considerable mileage of concrete and brick roads has been built in that state.

New Jersey is a vast truck garden that supplies the markets of New York and Philadelphia, and it means money in the pockets of the farmers to have roads that they can depend upon every day in the year, just as they depend upon the railroads. Good wagon roads are even more essential to the prosperity of the state today than railroads, because with good roads and motor trucks it would be possible for the state to carry on all its activities, while with railroads and no wagon roads many of them would have to shut down.

Few states in the Union would care to admit that they are less progressive than New Zealand, yet that commonwealth in the antipodes has come to realize that its roads are not equal to the demands of traffic and proposes to adopt concrete road construction as practiced in some parts of the United States. Authorities there estimate that twelve foot concrete roads can be built for $2,000 a mile more than ordinary stone roads and that there would be a saving in upkeep of at least $1,200 a mile during the first five years, while at the end of ten years there would be a saving of $7,000 or $8,000 per mile.

Too Much Prudence.

Gwennie—Why did you refuse him if he is such a prudent man? Gertie—He said he thought if he got married he could save more money.—London Opinion.

Cheap Imitation.

The Shopper—Are these genuine goldfish? The Sales Person—No'm, not at that price. These are only rolled plate.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Mary Baker Eddy Memorial.

The memorial to Mary Baker Eddy, the discoverer and founder of Christian Science, erected in Mt. Auburn cemetery at Cambridge, Mass., was recently turned over to The Christian Science board of directors by Elbert S. Barlow of New York, who had charge of its construction. Over a year and a half has been required to complete it. Christian Scientists throughout the world have contributed, as expressions of sentiment, the entire cost of over $150,000.

The memorial is of Bethel white granite and consists of an open circular colonnade of eight columns fifteen feet in height surmounted by a cornice and cresting. The space inside the colonnade is to be filled with growing flowers. The columns rest on a stylobate of three steps, which also rest, at one side, on a broad platform of Pompton pink granite and, at the other, which is about five feet lower, on a double flight of circular steps. These are flanked on each side by a large pylon. The pylons were exhibited a short time ago at the American Institute of Architecture in New York, and were pronounced by several experts to be the finest pieces of carved granite ever executed. The detail is elaborated to an extent never before attempted in granite; some of the stems and leaves are practically freestanding so great is the relief.

Time to Secure Seeds.

Unquestionably there will be more gardens planted and more demand for seeds this spring than for many years. The wise gardener will see to it that he has a dependable supply of seeds long before the time for planting comes, for the probabilities are that there will be some who will fail to secure seeds. Among the seeds used by many experienced gardeners in this section are those of the Jerome B. Rice Seed company of Cambridge. They are grown under similar climatic and soil conditions and have been found very satisfactory. You will do well to secure a supply of Rice seeds and at once.

House for sale at 74 Elm street with all improvements. Phone 279-R. advt tf

Fine job printing at The Herald office.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Shirley L. Huntington, Surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Hannah T. Doolet, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at the offices of Messrs. Gibbs, Holmes, Waterman & Holmes, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the fifth day of October, next.
Dated, March 29, 1917.
SARAH T. SHERMAN, Executrix
Gibbs, Holmes, Waterman & Holmes, Attorneys for Executrix, Oneonta, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Shirley L. Huntington, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Carlos Hiram Wiles, deceased, late of the town of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned, administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased, at the office of George Wohlleben, 198 Main street, in the City of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the twenty-seventh day of July, next.
Dated, January 17, 1917.
CORA J. GALLAGHER, Administratrix.
George Wohlleben, Attorney for Administratrix, 198 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

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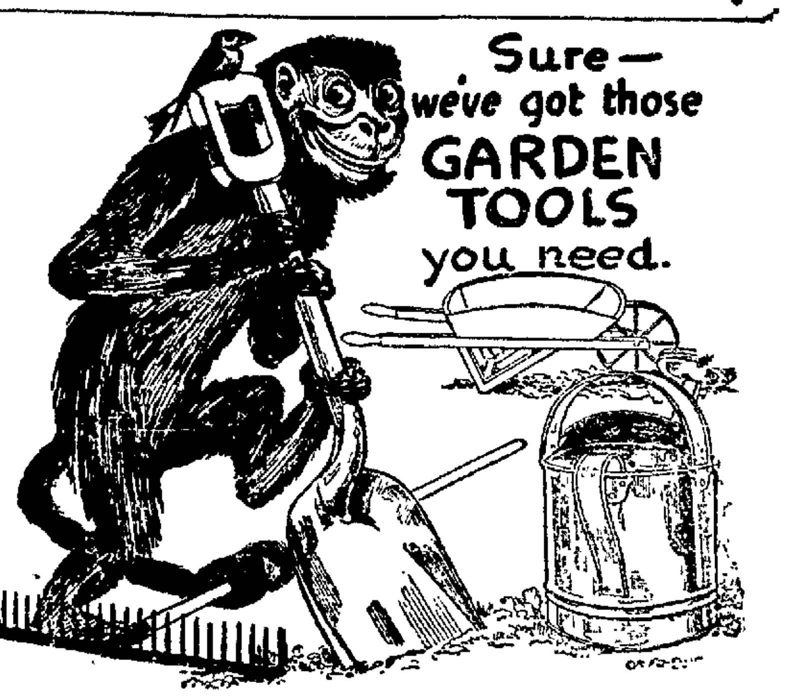

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ARE YOR GOING TO TRY TO MAKE THOSE RUSTY, RICKETY OLD GARDEN TOOLS "DO" FOR ANOTHER YEAR?

NO—NOT IF YOU COME IN AND SEE OUR UP-TO-DATE, LABOR-SAVING IMPLIMENTS WHICH WILL MAKE YOUR WORK EASY AND YOUR GARDEN "GROW." THE TIME YOU SAVE WILL BE WORTH MORE THAN THE NEW GARDEN TOOLS WILL COST

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Southern New York Railway

Schedule effective September 6.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 8:05, 10:15, 12:15, 2:15, *4:15 and 6:15 p. m. for Hartwick at 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Arriving at Hartwick one hour later, at Cooperstown one hour thirty minutes later, at Richfield Springs two hours later and Herkimer three hours later.

Trains will arrive at Oneonta as follows: 6:50, 7:47, 9:47, *10:57 and 11:47 a. m., 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 6:47 and 8:51 p. m.

City Service.

Leave East End (week days) at 6.30, 7:15, 7:45 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, 7:25, 7:55 and every thirty minutes thereafter.

Leave the D. & H. for Normal (week days) at 7:05, 7:35, 8:05 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Normal for D. & H. (week days) at 6:33, 7:10, 8:10, 8:49 and every thirty minutes.

Sundays.

First car leaves Normal at 8:19 a. m., last car at 9:19 p. m.

First car leaves East End at 7:45 a. m., last car at 10:45 p. m.

First car leaves Junction at 7:55 a. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for Broad street at 10:50 p. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for East End at 10:20 p. m.

*Denotes daily except Sunday.
J. W. NUGENT, G. P. A.

Delaware & Hudson R. R.

"The D&H."

TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday

Sept. 24, 1916.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows

NORTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
303	Morning Express	6.13 a m	6:20 a m
305	Saratoga Express	9:40 a m	9:45 a m
307	Boston Express	11:50 a m	11:55 a m
309	Boat Express	4:10 p m	4:15 p m
311	"Flyer"	8:25 p m	8:35 p m
313	Sunday only	11:46 a m	11:50 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

		Arrive	Depart
300	Binghamton Local		8:20 a m
302	Local Passenger	10:35 a m	10:40 a m
304	Chicago Express	12:40 p m	12:45 p m
306	Oneonta Local	6:45 p m	7:00 p m
308	Chicago Express	6:50 p m	6:55 p m
312	Sleeper	2:30 a m	2:35 a m
314	Sunday only	11:10 a m	11:15 a m
316	Sunday only	7:00 p m	7:05 p m

Trains 311, 313, 314, 316 run Sundays.

Trains leave Oneonta for Cooperstown and intermediate points at 7:10 a. m., 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. on week days. Sunday at 11:55 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. Returning arrive at Oneonta at 9:55 a. m. and at 12 m., 4:30 and 8:40 p. m. Sundays at 11:05 a. m. and 6:40 p. m.

ULSTER & DELAWARE RR

TIME TABLE OF
IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows: *7:20 a. m., s1:15, *3:12 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows: **11:20, s11:55 a. m., 6:45 p. m.

* Daily except Sunday. s Sunday only.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Leland M. Cowles, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Frank Coss, deceased, late of the City of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor or the estate of the said deceased, at his office in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 21st day of April, next.
Dated, October 13, 1916.
W. L. BROWN, Executor.

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6 Acadamy St. Next to Armory
Certified Undertaker
Having located in your city, I am prepared to do Undertaking and Embalming.
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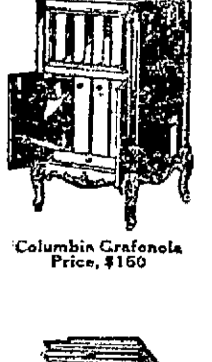
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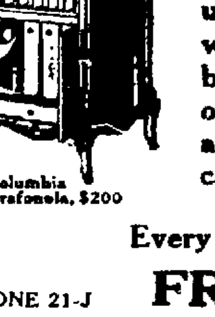
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CENSORSHIP RULE HAS BEEN DRAFTED

Regulations For Voluntary Use In Emergency Criticised.

ONE ESPECIALLY ATTACKED

Proposed by Lansing, It Might, if Enforced, Check Needed Publicity on National Policies—The Regulations In Full—Editors Generally Expected to Abide by Them.

Regulations "relative to censorship," which newspapers of the country were asked to accept and follow voluntarily pending the enactment of a press censorship law by congress, have been announced after a conference between representatives of the state, war and navy departments and of four press associations.

Most of the principles laid down in the censorship regulations have been and are being observed in spirit by the newspapers, which have endeavored to follow the wishes of officials as to what to print and what not to print at this critical period. Practically all the criticism heard after the regulations were made public was directed to the sixth regulation, which reads:

It is requested that no information, reports, or rumors attributing a policy to the government in any international situation, not authorized by the President or a member of the cabinet, be published without first consulting the department of state.

Officials of the three departments represented were made aware that the newspapers of the country would unquestionably find cause for objection to several of the regulations and particularly to No. 6. It was made plain that the press associations had no right to speak for the newspaper press of the country, which reflect opinion and seek to give an idea of the impression made by governmental policies.

In this connection it was brought out that the head of one of the press associations had proposed, prior to the meeting, that hereafter the government should forbid the publication of any matter not contained in official statements handed out by the proper authorities and that copies of these should be furnished only to press associations and not to individual newspapers. If this proposal were adopted the people of the country would be kept from knowledge of public happenings which government officials did not choose to make known, and as a result it is suggested there probably would be a suppression of everything that might tend to excite criticism. It is understood that the officials concerned will reject this suggestion as unworthy of adoption in a country in which a free press is guaranteed by the constitution. This guarantee is contained in the first amendment, which provides: "Congress shall make no law * * * abridging the freedom of speech or of the press."

Text of the Regulations.

This statement, embodying the text of the regulations, was given out after the conference:

"In view of the desire of the press of the country to refrain from the publication of information harmful to the public interest and with the intention of securing the maximum publicity with the least injury thereto, the following regulations are hereby issued for its guidance, which it is earnestly requested be closely observed:

Regulation 1.—No information, reports or rumors should be published which tend to disclose the military and naval policies of the government of the United States. (This regulation is directed against the publication of any news or comment which might reveal the strategic disposition or operation of armies or their subdivisions or the fleet or its subdivisions; any measures which might be adopted in consonance with the department of state for the furtherance of American defense and, in general, any plans for the use of the army and navy during the existence of a national emergency).

Regulation 2.—No information, reports or rumors should be published which tend to disclose:

(a) Movements or employment of armies and their subdivisions, fleets and their subdivisions.

(b) Movements of vessels of the navy or their arrival at or departure from any port.

(c) Departures of merchant vessels should not be mentioned, and it is desired that the name of the port of arrival be omitted.

(d) Assignment or movement, whether as groups or individuals, of officers and men of the military and naval establishments.

(e) Transportation of mails, supplies or munitions.

(f) Information of any designs, inventions or test thereof, or of manufacture, transport or distribution of implements of war.

(g) Concentration of military or naval supplies or location of such supplies.

(h) Activities in or about arsenals, fortifications, army posts, naval magazines, navy yards, naval bases and radio stations.

Regulation 3.—Publication of any maps, diagrams or photographs which in any way might seem of military or naval value.

Regulation 4.—No moving pictures should be displayed which are of military or naval value.

Regulation 5.—Any doubtful matter should be submitted to the authorized representatives of the department concerned, who shall give an immediate decision thereon and keep the inquiry made strictly confidential.

Regulation 6.—It is requested that no information, reports or rumors attributing a policy to the government in any international situation not authorized by the president or a member of the cabinet be published without first consulting the department of state.

Note.—The above regulations shall not be enforced in any matters officially given to the press by properly authorized officials.

The devil tempts us not; 'tis we tempt him.—George Eliot.

SOIL BUREAU IN SPRING CAMPAIGN

Uncle Sam Ready to Launch Agricultural Drive.

PLAN FARMING STRATEGY

Tillers Lay Out Work For the Season Before Sap of the Trees Begins to Stir—Soils Classified and Crop Advice Furnished by Federal Bureau of Soils.

From now on the mails will carry to many an amateur gardener and to the experienced farmer catalogues of the various seed houses throughout the country showing an elaborate display of colored pages of fruits, vegetables and flowers, all tending to create trade and at the same time creating in the minds of those receiving them a desire to begin preparations for the coming planting season, says Charles A. Sidman in the New York Sun.

There is one thing, however, these catalogues do not speak of, and that is the subject of soils, their capabilities and uses. Every farmer is certain to find out sooner or later just what kind of soil he has and whether he will be able to grow certain crops on it or not. For this reason when the bureau of soils was established by the department of agriculture to determine by experiment and analysis the best soils for certain fruits, cereals and vegetables it built better than it knew, and today the farmer is much richer for the information which he has thus acquired.

Classifying Soils.

For a number of years the bureau of soils has been engaged in the classification of soils, upon soil maps and in the preparation of reports which describe the character and uses of the different soils encountered. Since the beginning of the work many square miles of the agricultural regions of the United States have been surveyed and many hundred different types of soil have been found. Special studies have been made not only of the soils adapted to the growing of the cereal crops, but also of those soils which have a high value for the production of fruit of various kinds, of market garden crops, tobacco, sugar beets and many of the crops recently introduced into this country.

In addition to the fundamental work which concerns the area and distribution of the soils, there is based upon this a careful study of such important problems as the best adaptation of crop to soil, the best method of maintaining or restoring soil fertility, the proper ways for redeeming land threatened by the accumulation of alkali and the general study of the soil and crop resources of the entire extent of this country.

The surveys have been so distributed that nearly every prominent agricultural interest has been touched and the soils of some part of every important agricultural region have been studied. Thus studies made in New York and northern Ohio and Indiana, southern Michigan and southern Wisconsin have made possible the generalization that certain classes of soils in these localities are especially adapted to the production of sugar beets under the climatic conditions which exist there.

Rise In Land Values.

Similar studies along the eastern sea coast have demonstrated that the Norfolk sand and fine sandy loam are peculiarly adapted to the production of the early vegetables and fruits which furnish the northern markets. It has been shown that where transportation is adequate land of these soil types which formerly had a land value of $[illegible] an acre can readily be made to have a value from $100 to $200 an acre for the production of truck crops.

The large production of corn in the central states is largely due to the wide extent and general distribution of three types of soil, Miami black clay loam, the Marshall loam and the Marshall silt loam, which are peculiarly adapted to corn production under the climatic conditions which prevail in that region.

The great importance of the rice industry in Louisiana and Texas has shown that the heavy silt loams and clay loams of the seacoast prairies of these states are well adapted to rice production, and it has been upon soils of this character that the wonderful strides in rice production have been possible.

Why Some of Us Are Color Blind.

That part of the eye called the retina is divided into little structures, some of which can perceive a slowly moving ray of light. Others can see only medium or rapidly moving waves. The slow waves look red, the medium green or yellow and the rapid waves blue or violet. When any of these delicate eye structures lose the power of visualizing the colors which they were destined to see the eye's owner becomes color blind, being unable to differentiate between red or green or blue.

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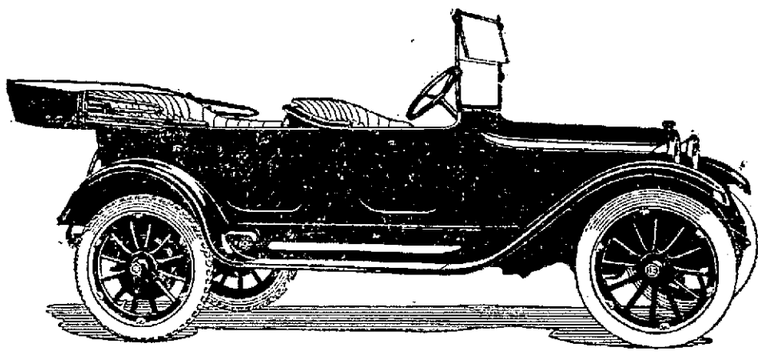

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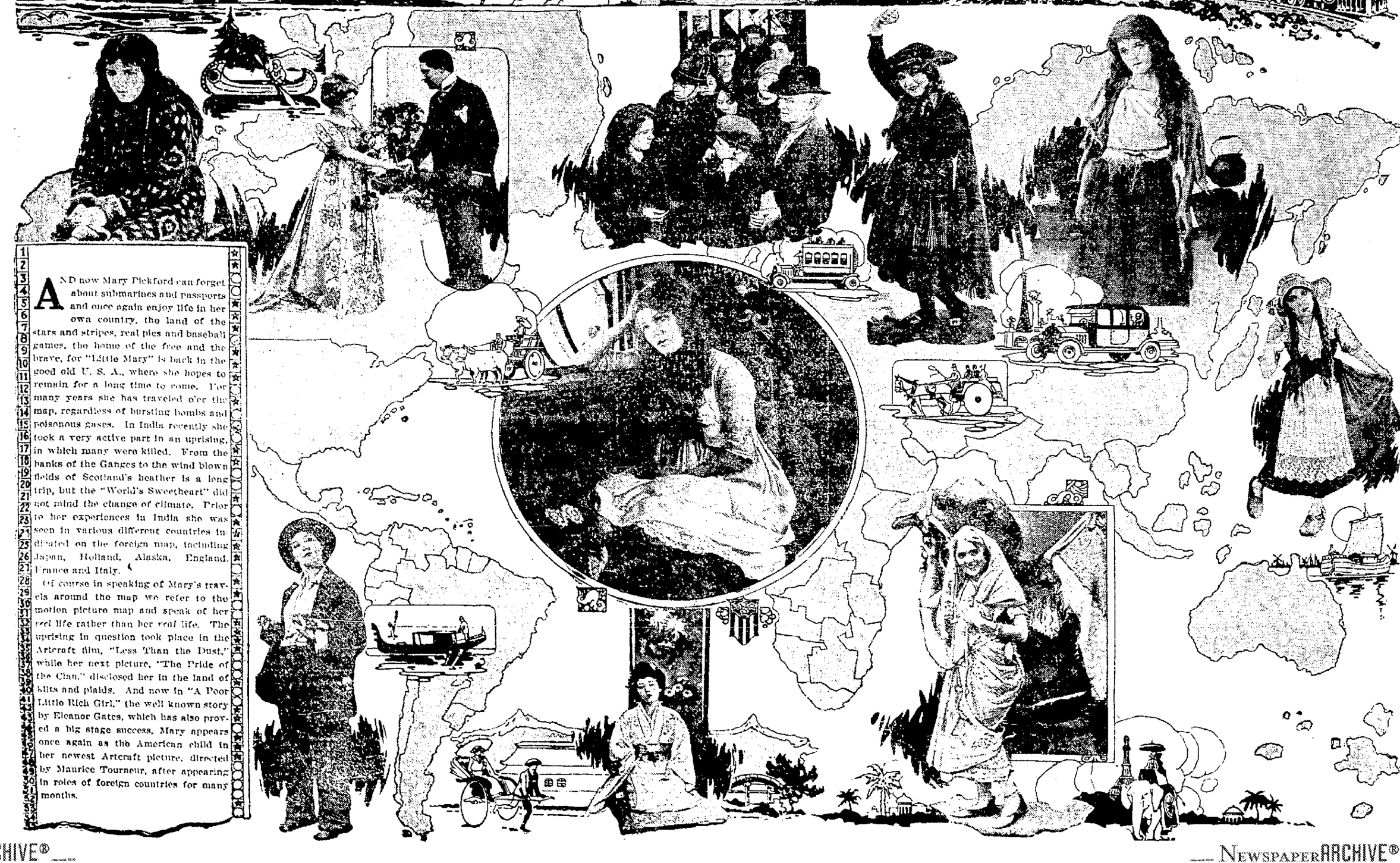

AND now Mary Pickford can forget about submarines and passports and once again enjoy life in her own country, the land of the stars and stripes, real pies and baseball games, the home of the free and the brave, for "Little Mary" is back in the good old U. S. A., where she hopes to remain for a long time to come. For many years she has traveled o'er the map, regardless of bursting bombs and poisonous gases. In India recently she took a very active part in an uprising, in which many were killed. From the banks of the Ganges to the wind blown fields of Scotland's heather is a long trip, but the "World's Sweetheart" did not mind the change of climate. Prior to her experiences in India she was seen in various different countries indicated on the foreign map, including Japan, Holland, Alaska, England, France and Italy.

Of course in speaking of Mary's travels around the map we refer to the motion picture map and speak of her *reel* life rather than her *real* life. The uprising in question took place in the Artcraft film, "Less Than the Dust," while her next picture, "The Pride of the Clan," disclosed her in the land of kilts and plaids. And now in "A Poor Little Rich Girl," the well known story by Eleanor Gates, which has also proved a big stage success, Mary appears once again as the American child in her newest Artcraft picture, directed by Maurice Tourneur, after appearing in roles of foreign countries for many months.

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GERMANS GALORE IN SOUTH AMERICA

Believed to Have Aided Raiders Off Brazilian Coast.

WELL WITHIN THEIR POWER

In Some Sections the German Language Is Used Almost Exclusively. Control One-half of the World's Supply of Coffee—Colonization Started In 1825.

The naval engagement between the British ship Amethyst and two German raiders in the south Atlantic took place near the island of Fernando de Noronha, off the south coast of Brazil and fairly contiguous to the largest aggregation of German population in that republic, where it has been suspected there have been maintained bases of supplies for the German ships which have operated so extensively against shipping in those waters, states a war geography bulletin just issued by the National Geographic society from its headquarters in Washington.

The Germanic element in Brazil is numerous enough and energetic enough to carry out such a policy if they chose to do so. They number at least a million souls, and they are practically limited in residence to the four southernmost of the Brazilian maritime states—Rio Grande do Sul, Santa Catarina, Parana and Sao Paulo—where they have thrust their national roots far into foreign soil without losing any of their inborn characteristics. Theodore Roosevelt, writing in 1914 of Sao Paulo, says, "In this province I met for the first time Germans born in the country who could speak only German."

Colonization Started In 1825.

German colonization in Brazil has been going on since 1825, when the settlement of Sao Leopoldo, in Rio Grande do Sul, was established. For ten years the stream of immigration continued, when it was interrupted by the sansculotte revolt in southern Brazil. This interruption lasted for nine years. In 1848 the flood of settlers was perceptibly swollen by the families from Schleswig-Holstein and the other parts of Germany which were affected by the revolt of the duchies against Denmark. No less than thirteen important German colonies were established in southern Brazil between 1848 and 1860, the earliest settlers being greatly aided by generous grants of land from the Brazilian government, which allotted no less than 174 acres to each immigrant. Owing to speculative abuses this privilege was largely reduced, but without noticeable effect upon the movement, which was only checked by the imperial edict of 1859 forbidding the further migrations of Germans to Brazil. This edict remained in vogue until 1896, when, as Austin Harrison terms him in the pan-Germanic doctrine, "the great sea emperor, William II., saw early and clearly into the future and taught his subjects to see too."

Under this teaching the Germanic flood swept in large volume into Brazil and now has spread over a territory approximately as large as that of the American states of Florida, Georgia, Alabama, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia and Tennessee. Fully a quarter of a million Germans are to be found in the state of Rio Grande do Sul, where in the cities they have taken a strong hold upon the activities of the country and have practically absorbed commercial and industrial enterprise. In Port Alegre, the capital of the state, three German publications indicate and expound the Germanic doctrine.

German Governor Elected.

In Santa Catarina, the next state north, conditions are analogous. German customs and the German idiom prevail, and in many towns one may almost imagine himself in the fatherland. The Germanic element here was strong enough some years ago to elect a German governor, and with the exception of the officers of the federal court the office holders are almost entirely German. The anomaly of Brazilian governmental reports written by Germans is by no means unusual. The German colony in this state owes no little of its strength to the fact that here for some time was the residence of Prince de Joinville of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, who married a daughter of Dom Pedro, the first emperor of Brazil, and the city of Joinville, German to the marrow, is a monument to his royal highness' efforts to form a nucleus for German immigration.

Through their possession of land the Germans in Brazil control one half of the world's supply of coffee, and the Germanization of the people is further carried out through the compulsion laid upon the army of employees and servants to learn the German language rather than to oblige the alien to gain the native tongue.

Wasn't Near the Horns.

Some people are too literal for anything. A young man gave a graphic description of a narrow escape that he recently had had from an enraged bull.

"I seized him by the tail," he exclaimed, "and there I was. I was afraid to hold on, and I dared not let go."

"Between the horns of a dilemma, as it were," ventured a young lady very much interested.

"No," replied the young man, "I wasn't between the horns at all. An', besides, he wasn't a dilemma; he was a Jersey."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

What Life Is.

Life is not made out of money, and friendship, and talents, and patronage, and family influences, and good chances, and good positions, and good health, and good nature. It is made out of faith, virtue, knowledge, temperance, patience, godliness, and brotherly kindness and love.—Ionizer.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINT.

Rules For Long Life.

There is no panacea that will bring long life to every user. "What is one man's meat is another man's poison." But a few rules are applicable to every one:

Be moderate in everything. Excess in eating, in drinking, in anything, tends to bring on old age.

Be faithful in your exercise and be sure to choose an exercise that is helpful to you.

Stand and sit erect and use your lungs.

Keep your teeth and gums and throat clean. The mouth is the principal port of entry for undesirable immigrant micro organisms.

Be careful to maintain the bowel functions. The digestive tract is a favorite abiding place for hordes of marauding bacteria.

Have your body occasionally examined.—Hawthorne Daniel in World's Work.

"DRAG THE ROAD" CLUBS.

Organizations Suggested to Improve Conditions In Rural Communities.

This is the day of clubs and organizations. We have corn clubs, tomato clubs, pig clubs, church associations, Sunday school associations, reading circles and other organizations tending to lift and help the community. These are all good organizations and are doing much for the betterment of society and living conditions of today, but there is one item that is of vital interest to every one, and that is the road over which every member of these several organizations must pass. At the present time in many parts of the country this is being left with but little thought. The mail must be carried over it. The food must be gotten over it. Every meeting of either social or religious nature must be made up of persons who pass over the road. Then let us think about the road in our other gatherings. It would be time well

A SPLIT LOG DRAG.

spent to have a few meetings in the rural communities to discuss ways of improving the road. There are many ways this can be done, but the most feasible and quickest is to drag the road. This is simple, and a road dragging club in every community will be the means of accomplishing this end.

The state road bureau has prepared a bulletin on dragging the roads and shows how to make various kinds of drags. Split logs make good drags. Square timbers, plank, railroad iron and many other waste materials can be used to make good drags. The drag is the cheapest method of maintaining an earth road. It will do more work for 50 cents than can often be done for $50 with pick and shovel. We need good roads in every state and if we are to get them every dollar of money and energy applied to the roads must be done with a view of getting the most efficient results.—Southern Good Roads.

Uncle Sam's Belt.

The total area of the canal zone, which includes all the land and water within five miles on either side of the center line of the canal, but does not include the area within the three mile limit on the Atlantic and Pacific ends of the canal, is 441½ square miles, of which the land area is 332.85 square miles. The area of Gatun lake within the five mile limit is 106.4 miles, the area of Miraflores lake 1.9 miles and the area of the canal channel itself .85 mile. The area was given in 1911 as 418 square miles, which was correct at that time, but by a treaty proclaimed Feb. 18, 1915, an area of six and one-half square miles adjoining Panama city was ceded to Panama in exchange for two small tracts, one of them in the city of Colon, on which one of the defense batteries of the canal is situated. The same treaty gave the Panama canal administration control of all the waters of Gatun lake outside of the five mile limit and all land adjoining the lake up to the hundred foot contour line, adding sixty-one square miles to the 441½ miles within the zone, making the area of the canal zone and controlled territory 502½ square miles.—Christian Herald.

Londoners Long For Light.

It is noticeable that wherever an observer goes in London one subject comes uppermost sooner or later. That is the aspect of London when the lights are turned up once more. The universality of the longing for a lighted London again is remarkable. "The night that peace is declared," remarked an assistant in a barber's shop near the Strand, "I shall take my kids out in the street to look at the lights." "Don't you worry," retorted a skeptical customer. "By the time peace is declared your kids will be able to take you out."—London Globe.

WILSON'S POWER ALLOWS DRAFTING

Hay Act Gives President Power to Raise Great Army.

CAN CALL ALL FROM 18 TO 45

This, However, Only In Case of War. All Factories Are Obligated to Carry Out His Orders—Failure to Comply Is a Felony Punishable by Imprisonment for Three Years.

Under the Hay national defense act, approved June 3, 1916, the president has the authority to raise an army of 1,000,000 or more to use in or out of the United States. The same measure provides that he may draft men from eighteen to forty-five years old into the service of the country in time of war. Section 79 provides that: "When the members of three or more regiments of the national guard of any state, territory or district shall have been brought into the service, the reserve battalions of such regiments may be organized into provisional regiments and higher units.

"If for any reason there shall not be enough voluntary enlistments to keep the reserve battalions at the prescribed strength, a sufficient number of the unorganized militia shall be drafted into the service of the United States to maintain each of such battalions at the proper strength."

The act provides for one reserve battalion for each regiment of infantry or cavalry, each nine batteries of field artillery and each twelve companies of coast artillery brought into the service of the United States from the national guard in time of war.

Can Draft Limitless Numbers.

Such reserve battalion is to constitute the fourth battalion of any such regiment or twelve companies of coast artillery. Reserve battalions shall consist of four companies of such strength as may be prescribed by the president.

The act also provides that the army can be increased by five annual increments, but in time of war or when war is imminent all of the increments can be put in at once, making a standing army of 250,000.

In time of war the president is empowered to draft without limit from the unorganized militia, which includes all men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five.

The author of section 79 of the Hay act asserts that the power of the president to enlarge the army under that provision practically is unlimited.

The president in time of war or when war is imminent can, through the head of any department of the government, in addition to the present authorized methods of purchase or procurement, place an order with any individual firm, association, company, corporation or organized manufacturing industry for such product or material as may be required.

President's Orders Imperative.

Compliance with all such orders for products and material is made obligatory and takes precedence over all other orders and contracts theretofore placed. Any person, firm or other business combination failing to comply with the provisions of this section of the act is to be deemed guilty of a felony and liable to punishment by imprisonment for not more than three years and by a fine not exceeding $50,000.

The Hay bill also provides for the procurement of gauges, dies, jigs, etc., necessary for the manufacture of arms to be used by the government or manufacturers of arms, ammunition and special equipment necessary to equip the land forces likely to be required by the United States in time of war.

The act provides for the establishment, maintenance and operation of nitrate plants to supply nitrate for manufacture of powder.

It contains a provision for an officers' reserve corps in time of war, and it is understood now that enough men are listed under this provision to train any number of soldiers the government may need.

Burns' Best Poem.

It is said that a boy was once asked in the poet's presence which of Burns' works he liked best. After taking thought with himself for a little he declared that he liked the "Cotter's Saturday Night" by far the best, "although," he added, "it made me greet (cry) when my father bade me read it to my mither." This statement seemed to impress Burns, for presently he said to the lad, "Weel, my callant (boy), it made me greet, too, more than once when I was writing it by my father's fireside."

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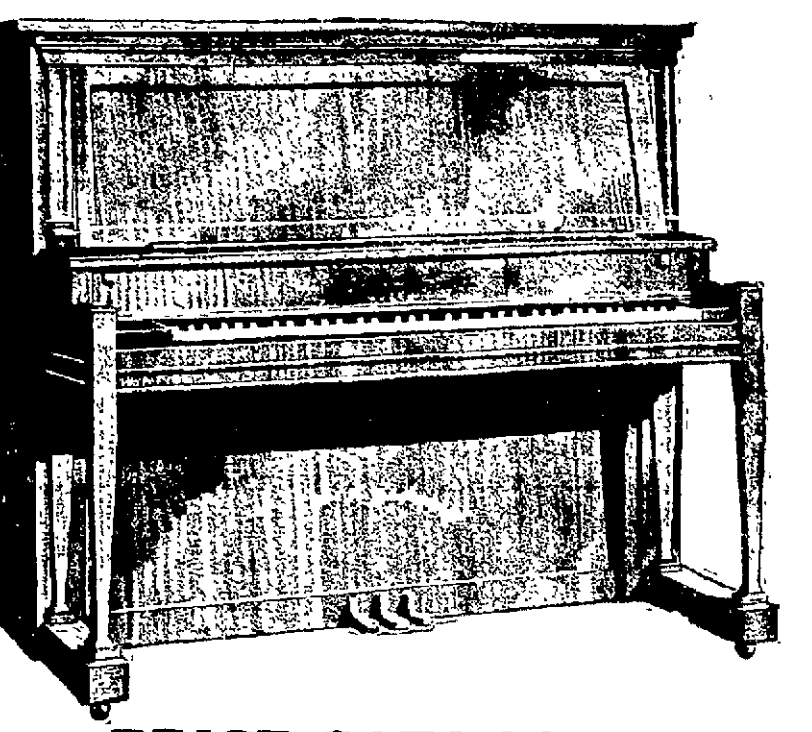

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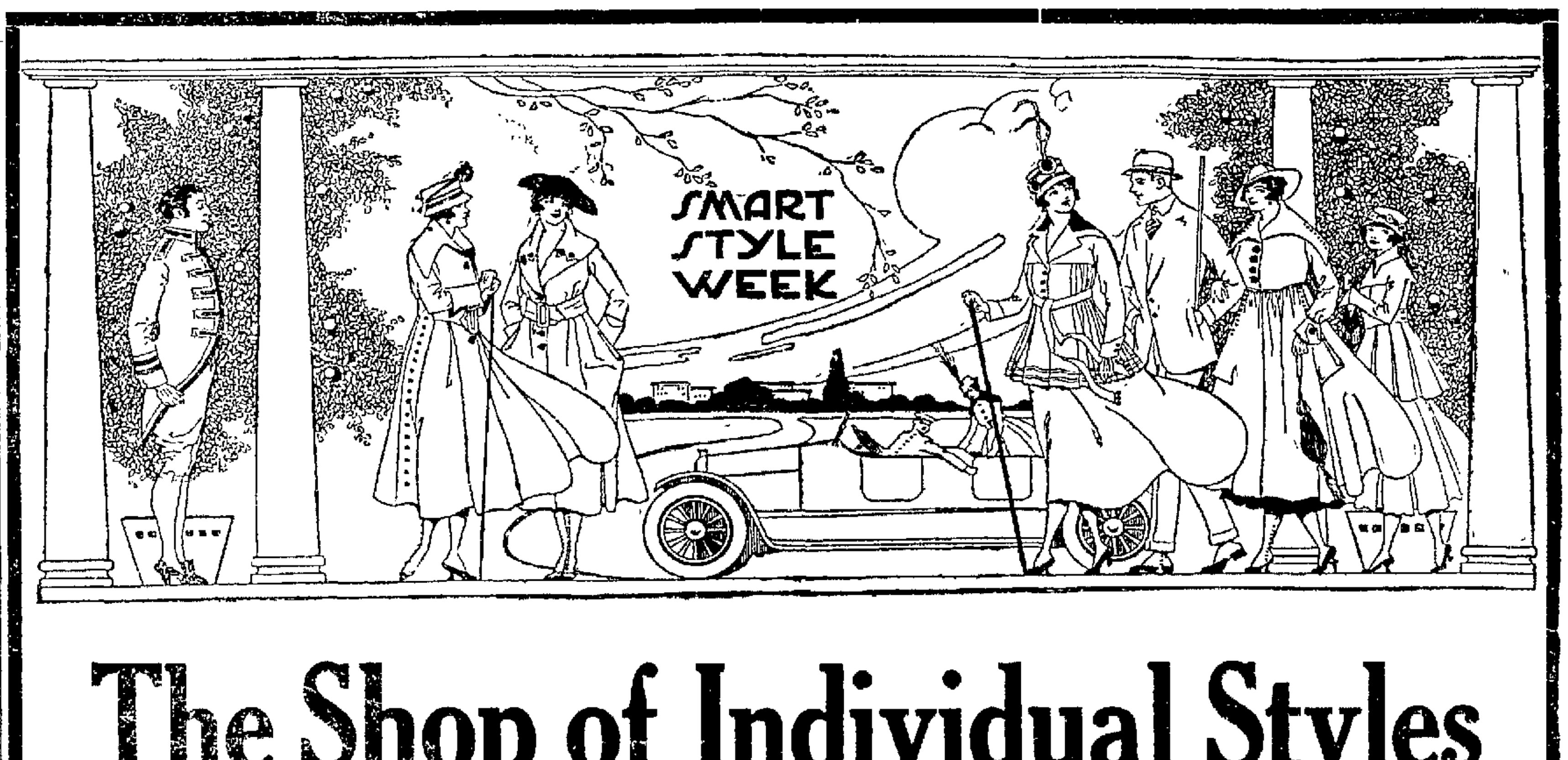

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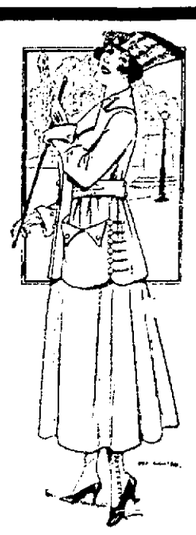

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Rumored Strike of Section Men.

Persistent rumors of a strike among the track hands in the employ of the D. & H. company and of the importation of colored men from Louisiana, who have been distributed along the system, are heard. The Star has been unable to secure any authentic information upon the subject. The idea is prevalent among employes, however, that something of the kind is brewing.

Oneonta Eagles Win!

The Oneonta Eagles, a team of Lacrosse ball players under 12, of the Academy street school, trimmed a similar team of boys from the Otego school in the high school gymnasium Saturday morning by the score of 14 to 13. The manager of the Eagles reports that it was a close and exciting game.

Rejoins Company G.

Carl Schmerhorn, who recently enlisted as a member of Company G and accompanied Captain Parish to the company two weeks ago and was called back home by the death of his mother in Sidney, departed on Saturday to rejoin the company at Peekskill.

At the Y. M. C. A. Service.

At the Y. M. C. A. service yesterday afternoon Evangelist Parsons delivered an especially effective address upon The Devil's Pawnshop. One responded to the invitation and the meeting was most inspiring to all.

CHORUS SINGING A FEATURE.

Crowded Congregations Listen to Sermons by Harlow Parsons.

The Parsons Brothers continued their interesting program of meetings at the First Baptist church on Saturday evening with the subject, "The Devil." The attendance was very large and attentive to the last minute. To one who has followed the sermons of Harlow Parsons through the entire week, it is amazing how little we know of the real truth of the Bible until we hear it in its right conception and surely that is what the congregations have been getting and right straight from the shoulder. To a man or woman of any conscience at all who heard this sermon on the Devil and did not feel convicted and try to reform from wicked ways, it must seem to them that will not be able to look for any blessings or protection at all from the One whom they will not recognize.

Sunday morning the chorus choir was present in large numbers and gave several selections which pleased the audience for the compliments were many. The service was well attend and listened to the continuation of last sabbath's sermon, "The Transfiguration."

The preacher briefly told the sermon of last week and then went to tell that with Jesus at the time of his transfiguration there were only three of his disciples and where the other nine were. They were in the valley trying to do God's work and commands by performing miracles but because of their lack of faith they were unsuccessful and then were disappointed because of not being with Jesus when he left this earth. These nine are likened unto many Christians of today who are about "putting on" and making a great time over their faith when if they were in the right place they would associated with some church and doing part of their work and then when all judged before Him in eternity they will wonder why they are not one of the chosen saints.

At the evening service there was an overflow meeting which necessitared the opening of the Sunday school room. The choir repeated its service of song and as a special feature Edward Parsons and Mrs. Harlow Parsons rendered a duet, after which the pastor made a few announcements, among which is the free will offering which they give to the evangelistic party next Sunday. Also he asked each member of the church and congregation to put forth their best efforts this coming and last week of the campaign.

The subject of the evening was taken from Hebrews 2:2-3, "How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation." The theme was wonderfully brought out and was made so plain, although a hard one to study alone, that many were led to conviction and later in the meeting expressed their belief openly. The neglect of getting on the right side and coming out for God has cost many a man his life, which will be spent in eternal doom. Never put off till tomorrow what you can do today is a good business policy and also applies very strongly here.

This being the last week of the campaign it is urged that all who can will come every night that they may hear the scriptures preached in such a manner as never before and probably never again unless Oneonta is fortunate enough to obtain the services of the Parsons brothers again.

On Tuesday evening come and hear "God Is Love," by Harlow Parsons and the great chorus choir of 75 voices. Also remember the cottage prayer meetings at 10 a. m. for a half hour at the following homes: Mrs. Cyphers, 45 West street; Mrs. Chesebro, 56 Academy street; Mrs. Runyon, 6 Norton avenue; Mrs. Charles, 84 Elm street; Mrs. Ogden, 10 Myrtle avenue; Mrs. Christpo, South Side; Mrs Bouck, 293 Chestnut street, and at 3 p. m. as usual the Bible Study class will meet at the church.

Activities at Country Club.

John Lawson, golf expert and greens' keeper at the Country club, who has been spending the winter in New York city, his home, where he has been engaged in Tom Wells' golf school as instructor, is expected in the city today and with his arrival work is expected to commence at the club, getting the greens in condition and in preparation for an early opening of golf activities. Indications are encouraging for a most successful year on the links.

Lyman Abbott Urges State Police.

Lewis E. Morris, chairman of the committee for a state police, made public Saturday the following telegram received from Dr. Lyman Abbott: "The state police bill should become a law. I regard it as important to the welfare of the people of the state of New York. I urge every citizen to support it by word and act."

Give me 24. This is Wednesday. Have you any more of that bright, clean coal that you sent me last month? Then please fill my bin as it was the most satisfactory we have had in a long time and we want to start the new year right. Advt. tf

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FIRMAN CAR SKIDS INTO TREE.

Mr. Firman and Mrs. Sloat Sustain Broken Noses and Are Badly Bruised.

Sunday morning, shortly after 11 o'clock, while within a mile of the village of Richmondville, the touring car of Don Firman of 23 Myrtle avenue, this city, skidded in the mud at the side of the road when it was turned to the side to pass another vehicle and it crashed head on into a large maple tree at the side of the road. In the car with Mr. Firman were Mrs. Sloat, his housekeeper, and her niece, Mrs. Brooks, of Ft. Hamilton, and the latter's little son, who are visiting at the Firman home. Mr. Firman and Mrs. Brooks were the more seriously injured, Mrs. Brooks and son escaping with only minor bruises. Both Mr. Firman and Mrs. Sloat sustained fractured noses and were badly bruised and shaken up. Dr. Cutler, who attended them after their return to this city, could find no indications of internal injuries and slight if any traces of shock so that it is expected that they will suffer no permanent injuries and will fully recover, although they will be quite lame and sore for a few days.

The report, current that Mrs. Sloat was driving the car and was being instructed in driving, is incorrect. The road at this point was slushy from the snow and the accident resulted from that condition. The injured ones were assisted to a nearby residence, where they were attended by a physician from Richmondville and as soon as arrangements could be made two cars brought them to the Firman residence here, arriving about 1:30 o'clock. Dr. Cutler at once responded and the injuries, which included some cuts, were dressed. The arrival of the party resulted in reports that two had been critically injured, but these proved to be unreliable.

The car was quite badly damaged, the full extent of which cannot be stated as it had not been given a careful examination at the time the party left Richmondville for home.

ROUNDY CASE DISCONTINUED.

Stipulation Signed by All Parties Saturday—Other County Court Cases.

In the matter of the application to appoint a committee of the person and property of Frank H. Roundy of Cooperstown Junction, a stipulation was filed in county court before Judge Kellogg on Saturday, all parties consenting thereto, that all proceedings be discontinued. The case was tried some time ago before A. J. McNaught esq. as referee and a jury, and resulted in a disagreement. Seybolt & Seybolt were attorneys for petitioner, E. A. Hayward and James J. Byard jr. for Frank H. Roundy. Other cases considered were as follows:

In the matter of the application for the appointment of a committee of the person and property of Willis G. Tunnicliff, an alleged incompetent. Commission directed to be issued to Honorable N. P. Willis, as commissioner. Sheriff instructed to summon jury, etc. Same to be executed at county seat. William T. Welden, Richfield Springs, for petitioner.

Charles Whitman as executor etc. vs. Lucy Neal et al, Action of foreclosure and sale. Order granted appointing Willard S. Gibbons, referee. Barnum Brothers for plaintiff.

In the matter of the application for the appointment of a committee of the person and property of George E. Hanor, an alleged incompetent person. Order granted for completed service, and hearing adjourned to April 7. William C. McRorie, attorney for petitioner.

In the matter of the application for the sale of real estate of Charles H. Matteson, deceased, petition for sale of infant's real estate. Cassius Maples appointed special guardian. Hon. J. Lee Tucker, attorney for petitioner.

New Car For Stamford Bus Line.

A new 20-passenger Studebaker car arrived in Oneonta Saturday and was on exhibition in front of the store of the Stevens Hardware company, where it was inspected by many. The car was ordered by Orson Buck, and will in a short time be placed in service on the omnibus line between this city and Stamford. It is a 50-horse power, six cylinder machine, is a most comfortable vehicle and is expected to do excellent service between this city and the metropolis of the Catskills.

Juvenile Dancing Party.

The Misses Katherine and Helen Ronan, Ethel and Margaret Becker and Eleanor Becker have issued invitations to a company of their young friends for a dancing party at the Ronan Bros. annex on Tuesday evening, April 10. The event is being anticipated by those fortunate enough to have been bidden.

Knapp to Attend School.

Judge Kellogg has received notice from the warden of Auburn state prison that in accordance with his request Claude Knapp, lately sentenced to that institution for burglary, would be assigned to the prison school and taught to read and write.

Playing in Binghamton.

Dan Sherman and company are playing the Stone Opera house in Binghamton, April 2, 3 and 4.

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GIVE RECITAL FOR ELKS.

Messrs. Wetmore and O'Hara Appear at Elks Home Saturday Evening.

So universal was the approval of the entertainment given at the Oneonta club Friday evening by Geoffrey O'Hara and W. T. Wetmore of New York that an invitation was extended to them Saturday to remain and appear at the Elk's clubhouse Saturday evening, which was accepted, and for two hours from 10 to 12 p. m. they gave a charming and varied program similar in character but with only such repetitions as were requested by those Elks present at the Oneonta club the previous evening. Fully three-fourths of the evening's selections were other numbers and they further demonstrated the versatility and talents of these captivating entertainers.

Fully 200, including many ladies, were in attendance and for nearly two hours all were held enraptured by their efforts. In the Boy Orator of Zapata City Mr. Wetmore perhaps displayed to the fullest his abilities, although in his solo work rendering in an unusually sweet voice a late composition of Mr. O'Hara effectively. Mr. O'Hara in addition to singing numerous pieces of his own composition, all of a high order of merit, gave a recital, accompanying several selections of his own reproduced by the Victrola in perfect time and harmony therewith. There was not a single number nor an encore, with which they were liberal, that was not a feature and in its entirety the evening's entertainment ranks among the best to which Oneontans have listened. There is a possibility that they will visit the Rexmere at Stamford during the summer and if they do they quite likely will be invited to spend an evening with the Country club members.

Injured by Stepping Through Bridge.

W. S. Petrie, a Delaware and Hudson trainman residing at 42 West Bradway in this city, had the misfortune to have one leg severely injured Saturday morning at about 4 o'clock by stepping through a dry bridge near Schenectady. He was taken to the Ellis hospital, where he still remains. His leg is badly swollen about the knee and the extent of his injuries cannot be ascertained, though a fracture of the knee is feared. Mrs. Petrie was summoned and was with him at the hospital on Saturday, returning home yesterday. It will probably be several days before he will be able to return home.

Albert B. Bush Promoted.

Albert B. Bush, a former resident of this city and a member of Company G at the time of the Spanish-American war, has lately received a commission as captain in the quartermaster's department of the reserve ambulance corps of Pennsylvania. Mr. Bush, who is a son of W. H. Bush, formerly of this city, is now in the accounting department of the D., L. & W. railroad with headquarters at Moscow, Pa., and it is understood that in the case of war his activities will have chiefly to do with the movements of troops over that railway.

Bouton Property Sold.

The real estate of the late A. C. Bouton, situated on East street, was sold at public auction on Saturday afternoon. W. P. Abbott acted as auctioneer and the box factory was purchased by L. B. Lennon for $1,475. Mr. Lennon also bought the house on the same street, the price at which it was struck off being $3,710. The vacuum cleaner, which Mr. Bouton for several years successfully operated, was also offered, but was not sold, no bid for it being made.

For Sale

The Cort Tilley place in Laurens village. This is one of the best built houses in town, also barn and henhouse, three-fourths acre of land, fruit and flowers, very pleasant and desirable home. A bargain if sold at once. If not sold will be rented. S. S. Millard, Laurens, N. Y. Both phones. advt 6t

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